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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES



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INTIMATIONS. Shill inth NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHI PUBLIC AUCTION. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK FILTER Stlen ARRIVALS. CORPORATION, LIMITED COMPANY, LIMITED. S. S. "LENNOX."-HE Undersigned has received instructions March 18, ZAFIRO, British steamer, 675, Talbot, GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PEto Sell by Public Auction, · Manila 15th March, General, Russell & · NANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Public are hereby warned that FIELD will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on TUESDAY, the 22nd March, at the 19th March, 1887, at Il A.M., at Mossrs. FIRING will take place in the NEIGH-Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET. 10NSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informe March 18, FALKENBURG, German steamer, 988. Russell & Co.'s Kerosine Oil Godowns, BOURHOOD OF LITTLE HONGKONG VALLEY OR -that all goods, with heexception of Opium, SILICATED LONDON. MONDAY, the 21st instant, between the hours HALF-PAST THE EE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTER W. Dreyer, Saigop 14th March, Rico .-Wanchai. are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of 2 and 6 P.M. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves MRLCHERS & Co. of the General Managers, and electing a Con-About 4,000 Cases, KEROSINE OIL FREDERICK STEWART, AND THE COLONIES. March 18, KWANG-LEE, Chinese steamer, 1,508, sulting Committee and Auditors.
The TRANSFEIL BOOKS of the Company STELLA BRAND. THE FILTRE RAPIDE. delivery muy be obtained. Wells, Shanghai 15th March, General .-THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Colonial Secretary's Office, TERMS OF SALE,—Cash on delivery. Optional Cargo will be ferwarded unless Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues will be CLOSED from 21st March to 5t C. M. S. N. Co. Hongkong, 19th Warch, 1887. G. R. LAMMERT. notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, April, inclusive. March 18, PARTRIDGE, British stoumer, 261, TO-DAY. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 14th March, 1887. John Stavers, Pakhoi 14th March, Hoihow TRAVELLING FILTERS. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods generally on terms to be had on application. General Managers. PORTUGUESE ASSISTANT able to have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining 16th, and Macso 18th, Pigs and General. Hongkong, 14th March, 1887. 537 apeak the Chinese Dialects. Must have PUBLIC AUCTION: ifter the 24th instant, will be subject to rent at Interest allowed on Deposits:-ADAMSON, BELL & Co. had a General Mercantile Experience and not the rate of One cent per package per day.

All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 24th instant, or they will not be recognized. Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. THE CHINESE INSUEANCE COMPANY object to travel if required. Apply by letter March 18, LOMBARDY, British str., 1,726, G. C. THE Undersigned has received instructions TABLE FILTERS. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. LIMITED. to Sell by Public Auction, with copies of Testimonials to Brookes, Bombay 29th February, General. Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent, per Annum. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent, per MAMMON. THIS DAY. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. -P. & O. S. N. Co. Care of Daily Press Office. the 19th March, 1887, at 2 P.M., at his March 18, CANTON, British steamer, 1,110, J Annum on the daily balance. No Fire Insurance has been effected. TOTICE is hereby given that the SIX Hongkong, 19th March, 1887. Sales Rooms, Queen's Road. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by TEENTH ORDINARY MEETING Bremner, Shanghai 15th Murch, General .--APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD ADAMSON, BELL & Co., CIRCULAR: or SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the JARDINE; MATHESON & Co. FURNITURE, &c.,. will be held at the Head Chow, Victoria, Hong-TICTORIA BOARDING AND DAY belonging to G. B. STROEM, Esq., Balances of such Claims purchased on March 18, Nangpo, British steamer, 791, Wm-Hongkong, 17th Marck, 1887. kong, on THURSDAY, the 24th March, 1887. SCHOOL. Comprising :-LANE. CRAWFORD & Co. advantageous terms. Potts, Whampos 18th March, General. at 12 o'clock Noon, to receive the Report of DRAWING and BED ROOMS SUITES Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE HOLLYWOOD ROAD. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS SIEMSSEN & Co. the Directors, together with Statement of A CHAIRS. CHIMNEY GLASSES Account to 31st December, 1886. 19th March, 1887 S. S. "FLINTSHIRE," March 18, MONOCACY, Amr. g-b., from Canton, E. W. RUTTER, Hongkoug, 2nd March, 1887. and PICTURES. The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED This School is now offering increased facilities FROM HAMBURG, LONDON, AND DINING TABLE SIDEBOARD, WHAT Manager, Hongkong Branch. from the 11th to the 24th March both days for the acquirement of a First Class English Hongkong, 12th March; 1887. TELLY & WALSH, LIMITED. SINGAPORE. NOTS, DINNER, DESSERT and BREAK-CLEARANCES. FAST SETS GLASS and PLATED By Order of the Board For the Boys' Department Mrs. HANLON AT THE HARROUR MARTER'S, OFFICE, ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed New Regulations for preventing Collisions at T TONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING SAML. J. GOWER. that all Goods, with the exception of DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD, Double has pleasure in aunouncing that she has secured 18TH MARCH. the services of Mr. W. D. BRAIDWOOD, Opium, are being landed at their risk, into the and SINGLE WARDROBES with PLATE Some of the Anglects of Confucius, illustrated Borneo, Dutch str., for Amoy. C.M.M.A. (Phil.) of Edinburgh Training Hongkong, 8th March, 1887 Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown | GLASS Doors, CHEST OF DRAWERS; by Mrs. Clement Allen. Faugh or right, German web. for Taiwarfoo. College and Glasgow University; a gentleman Fielding's Tom Jones Company, at Kowleon, whence and/or from the CHEVEL GLASS, TOILET TABLE with CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY who has taught for over twelve years in Scot-Signal Coman str., for Hills die. RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7.500,000. Smollet's Humphrey Clinker bound in wharves delivery may be obtained. GLASS and MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND. LIMITED. land with great-ability and success: louchous, British str., for Hollow: Cloth SLeach. Smollet's Peregrine Pickle Optional cargo will be landed here, unless ONE PIANO The course of study for both Departments OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA. notice to the contrary be given before AP.M., or the 6-for-COURT OF DIRECTORS :-Fielding's Amelia ONE JINRICKSHA Fero, German str., for Saigon. includes.—Reading. Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Composition and Literature. British History, Geography, Mapping, Drawing and Singing. Latin, Greek, and Erench are Smollet's Roderick Random Chairman-M. GROTE, Esq. Hermann, German bark, for Bangkok. TERMS OF SALE .- As Customary. Deputy Chairman-C. D. BOTTOMLEY. Esq. Fielding's Joseph Andrews of the above named Company will be held at the No Claims will be admitted after the Goods Protie, German str., for Bangkok. Registered Office of the Company. Pedder's have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining J. M. ARMSTRONG. Leech's Pictures from Punch. Hon. J. Bell-Irving. . E.H.M. Huntington, Es Bradshaw's A. B. C. Guile to the United H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEwon. Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on after the 23rd installt, will be subject to reut at Ashington, British str., for Chefoo. Auctioneer. A. McIver, Esq. Hon, F. D. Sassoon. taught a extra subjects. W. H. F. Darby, Eaq. Hougkong, 17th March, 1887. THURSDAY, the 24th March. 1887, at the rate of One Cent per package per day. States, Canada, and Mexico. Mongkut, British str., for Swatow. H. Hoppius, Esq. Maps of the Canadian Pacific Railway. All Claims against the steamer must be pre 12 o'clock (Noon), when the subjoined Resc-CHIEF MANAGER. Mr. Braidwood is prepared to give Brivate Biographies of 100 Famous Americans. lutions which were passed at the EXTRAORDIN- sented to the undersigned on or before the 23rd - PUBLIC AUCTION. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq. Lessons in English, Latin, Greek, Mathematics DEPARTURES. instant, or they will not be recognized. Haydn's Dictionary of Dates. ACTING CHIEF MANAGER. ARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company hold and Drawing. R. G. R. LAMMERT will Sell by Public March 18, OREGON, American ship, for San on the 10th of March. 1837, will be submitted No Fire Insurance has been effected. Scott's Shipping Telegraph Code.
The Lady's World-New Fashion and Socie-Hongkong -JOHN WALTER, Esq. Auction, on FOR-IMPORTERS. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Francisco. for confirmation as Special Beso utions. FRIDAY - ty Monthly Magazine. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., March 18, Piccroza, German str., for Amoy. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. the 25th March, 1887, at 3 P.M., on the Com- T HAVE JUST PUBLISHED A BOOK STYLED Black's Horse Racing in France. RESOLUTIONS Agents. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK March 18, Rio Lima, Portuguese gunboat, for pany's Premises at Bowrington, Maclean's Diseases in Tropical Climates. Hengkong, 16th March, 1887. -That the present Capital of the CHINA -the whole of the "BERLIN ARTICLES." Jameson's Tart Book of the Steam Engine. SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, be HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. MACHINERY AND FITTINGS which is undoubtedly of great value to all ETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVI-Sir Francis Doyle's Reminiscences and Opinions March 18, TAMEGA, Portuguese gunbout, for On Current Deposit Account at the rate of increased from \$900,000 to \$1,500,000 by the FOREIGN IMPORTING FIRMS, as it is a Book of GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. Life of Frank Buckland. issue of 6,000 New Shares of \$100 each, to per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY COMPANY: Reference for all Berlin Export-Articles. ALL-Lock's Tobacco o Hand Book for Planters. be usated at parts of " On Fixed Deposits:-March 18, TEHERAN, British str., for Yoko. FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BA BRANCHES OF TRADE are given in it and the Du Moncell's Electricity as a Motive Power. 2.-That the price of issue of each of, the said For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. 1 HORIZONTAL ENGINE. LEADING ESTABLISHMENTS, IN RACH are men-TAVIA: SINGAPORE AND SALGON. Sprague's Electricity, its theory, Sources and now shares be fully paid up by the Allottee For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. 1 CORNISH BOILER suitable for tioned THE Company's Steamship March 18, BOTHWELL CASTLE, British steamer. on the 31st March, 1897, together with the Applications. DRIVING the MACHINERY. The object of my Book is to make Importers Lookwood's Hand Book of Electric Telesum of \$2 for each Share by way of interest LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. for Saigon A O'D GOURDIN, of all countries in the world acquainted both on such Share from the 1st January, 1887 CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and March 18, GLENFALLOCH, British steamer, for with the Articles manufactured for Exportation having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees to the 31st March, 1887, at the rate of \$8 every description of Banking and Exchange KRLLY & WALSH, LD. HONGKONG. in Berlin and with the Chief Makers of them. Hongkoug Steam Laundry of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their per cent. per annum. Goods are being landed at their risk into the Company, (Limited.) Price per Book, Edition 1887-6 Shillings March 18, THALES, British str., for Swatow. The holder of each of the said new shares DEAFTS granted on London and the chief Hongkong, 7th March, 1357. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown BREWER HAS JUST BECEIVED only. Quarto size in elegant Binding, March 14, WOOSUNG, British str., for Amoy, commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, shall be entitled to participate in the profits, of the Company as from the 1st January, Co.'s West Point Godowns, whence delivery may 1887, equally with the holders of the present be obtained. sent postfree on receipt of the amount. America, China and Japan. March 18, TETARTOS, German str., for Nagasaki. GUSTAV HILDEBRANDT'SK Very Handsome Postage Stamp Albums. WANTED BY A LADY. JOHN WALTER, March 18, ASHINGTON, British str., for Chefoo-Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd Export Advertising Office, Capital of \$900,000. Fresh consignment of "Renshaw" Tennis Acting Chief Manager. Berlin, S. W. (13) Alexandrinen Street. III. instant, will be subject to rent. A. N ENGAGEMENT as a RESIDENT 4—That the said new shares be offered in the first place in such manner and at such times. Hangkong, 26th February, 1887. N.B.—As the text of my Book is published in No Fire Insurance has been effected NORSERY GOVERNESS with PASSENGERS. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by. the German, English, French, and Spanish Perry & Co.'s "Viaduct" Watches, splendid as the General Agents shall think fit to the Family. Can undertake the Management of languages; and as it points out only the very JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Persons who shall, on the 25th day of time keepers, \$5.00. Two or more small Children. Per Zafiro, str. from Manila - H.E. Sr. Don. DULES OF THE HONGKONG best sources for easily saleable and profitable Agents. The Highest References can be given. February, 1887, be the registered holders of Almanack de Gotha. --and Mrs. Jose M. Ybarrez, Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer SAVINGS BANK. novelties and special articles, it may well be Hongkong, 15th March, 1887. the old, or present, Shares in the proportion Apply, by letter, to and child. Mr. and Mrs. C. Fusel, Miss Paz Shooting, Badminton Library. termed an indispensable Book of Reference for following, that is to say, two New Shares Office of this Paper. Goitia, Capt. T. P. McConel, Messrs. O. Von OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Common Sonse on Parade, by Colonel the L.—The business of the above Bank will be all trading Firms. shall be offered to every holder of a complete number of three of the said old or present ONSIGNEES, per Company's, Steamer Hongkong, 8th March, 1887. Suhm. C. Wienicke, A. Marcaida, 7 European Right Hon. J. H. A. Masdonald, U.B.M.P. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai and 120 Chinese, deck. Perry's Ranks and Badges in Her Majesty's Banking Corporation, on their premises in AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and DAID-UP POLICIES -- Premiums may be Shares, and shall be accopted or not within · Per-Kwang-lee, str., from Shanghai —89 Chi-Hongkong. Business hours on week-days. 10 Army and Navy. the time limited for that purpose by the lare hereby notified that the Cargo is being dislimited to 10, 15 or 20 years from the com-Stag Hunting on Exmoor by Hon. John to 9: Saturdays 10 to 1. General Agents, and that any new share or | charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go. | DAVID' CORSAR & SONS' Per Canton, str., from Shanghai, 20 Chinese. Fortescue. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at mencement, and after the Policy has been Merchant Navy shares offered in manner aforesaid, and not downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will Per Falkenburg, str., from Suigen.-7 Chinese. The Hunter's Arcadia by Parker Gillmore. one time will not be received. No depositor Navy Boiled in force for three years, each year's payaccepted within the time so limited, and also lie at Consignoes' risk. The Cargo will be ready Per Lombardy, str., from Bombay .- 80 Chi-Deer Stalking by Augustus Grimble. may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. Long Flax Agents short have been unable to us a the toth lust. ment of premiam secures a proportionate 3. Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option Sport by W. Bromley Davenport, M.P. Thimin's Languages self taught, French, German, and Spanish. part of the sum assured as a Paid-up. Per Partridge, str., from Pakhoi, ... Dr. Horder, manner aforesaid by reason of their being ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Goods undelivered after the 20th inst. will transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-Policy in the event of the Life Assured no holder, or holders, of a complete number | be subject to Frent. Hongkong, Hth May, 1867 The Cruise of the Challenger. hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for or complete numbers of three of the said BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. wishing to cease payments. This Hule The Englishman's Guide Book to the United | 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. F you want JAPANESE GOODS at Per Saltee, str., for Haipliong. -- Messrs. Troold or present shares, shall be disposed of Hongkong, 12th March, 18 7 .applies also to Endowment Assurances. 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their States and Canada. Reasonable Prices your and A. Mock, and 22 Chinese. and allotted by the General Agents and FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND PROPOSAL Forms on application to the A. B. C. Telegraph Code. Per Diamante, str., for Amoy. -42 Chinese.

Ruhl, Sik Qua, and Sing Hing Chun. For Shanghai, -Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wason, and Mr. T. Muir. TO DEPART. Per Mongkut, str., for Swatow.-Mr. Barr. Per Titan, str., for Shanghai. -- Messrs. Campbell, W. George, J. Barr, Whittle, and Miss

- For Manila -- Mr. G. Galian, and 15 Chinese.

Per Telamon, str., from Shanghai.-For

London .- Mrs. Lancaster and 2 children, Mrs.

Bayers and child, Rev. and Mrs. Bamsford, and

Per Thales, str., for Swatow.-Mr. Tai Chew

Cho. For Amoy. Sir Richard Rennie, and

Mr. Malcolm Jones. For Foothow.-Mesers. A.

REPORTS. The Chinese steamer Kicang-lee, from Shang- RIFFITH'S hai 15th March, reports had general misty weather with more or less rain.

The British steamer Canton, from Shanghai 15th March, reports from Shaughai to port had strong to moderate N.E. winds with thick rainy weather throughout.

The British steamer Partridge, from Pakhoi 14th March, Hoihow 16th, and Macao 18th, re-

ports strong N.E. breeze and high sea with thick reproductions. mist and rain throughout. The Gorman steamer Falkenburg, from Ssigon 14th March, reports fine weather and smooth sea

to last day before serival, previous day strong head wind with rain and sea. The - wish steamer Zorn, from Vacily 15th

"March, coports fine bright weather with mode. rate wind and sea until within 100 miles of port; thence fresh N.E. winds and cloudy with moderate sea to port.

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Tickets for Dress Circle can be obtained at KELLY & WALSH'S, Limited. MR. C. LETHBRIDGE, R.N.,

Manager. Lieut. R. G. BLOMFIELD, R.N., Hon. Sec. & Treasurer,

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Hongkong, 17th March, 1887. DORTLAND CEMENT

J.B. WHITE&CROS. SOLE AGENTS FOR ' HINA, HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. Hongkong, 11th April, 1883

JAPANESE LACQUERED WARES. CURIOS. &c., &c. PRICES MODERATE. 53. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, .. Victoria Hotel Buildings. Hongkong, 16th February 1887.

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LIQUIDATION. PAYMENT OF 4TH DIVIDEND.

A FOURTH DIVIDEND of 64 per Cent. on all CLAIMS against the Hongkong. Branch of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, that have been approved by the Court of Chancery will be paid on and after MONDAY NEXT, the 21st February, at the Offices of the NEW OBJECTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. The 4th Dividend is payable on all Claims on which previous Dividends have been paid. -CREDITORS are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator, admitting

their Claims, in order that the payment of the 4th Dividend may be endorsed thereon H. A. HERBERT. Attorney for the Official Liquidator, Oriental Bank Corporation. 2, Queen's Road,

. 19th February, 1887.

NOTICES OF FIRM.

HE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. GEORG-THEODOR SIEMS. SEN in our Firm Ceased on the 24th November. 1886, and that of Mr. PAUL GERHARD HUBBE on the 31st December, 1884. Mr. JACOB RUFF has been authorized to

Sign our Firm per procuration from this date. BIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong & China, 14th February, 1887. |401 AR JOHN JULIUS WILLY YON EHREN has This Day been authorized to Sign our Firm per procuetion.

Hongkong, 24th February, 1887. HONGKONG HOTEL

Hongkong, lat March, 1887.

WONG MAN SHING, MR. C. M. ROBERTS, formerly with Dealer in SHING, Messrs. ALEXANDER GORDON & Co., FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS. London, has been appointed HOTEL MANAGER. MRS. ROBERTS has boun appointed Matron. By Order. L. PAUSCHILD, Secretary, ... HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LIMITED.

INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG, SALUI DAY, MAROH 1984, 1887

daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Parsof VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. Books, but should send them to be written at at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. -

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank BUSINESS is forwarded free by the various British Pest Offices in Hongkong and China. reproductions of the same on Paper, Canvas, for 7.-Withdrawels may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ING CORPORATION, M JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of Business contributed during the Half-year

ended Elst December, 1886, on or before the 31st. instant, on which date the Accounts will be By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES. Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th March, 1887. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE

the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be will be recognized by the Company.

subsequently admitted. JARDÍNE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887. X/ANTED.—By a SINGLE GENTLEMAN. BOARD and LODGING with a

Private Femily... Care of Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 10th March, 1887. MAIL TABLES. MAIL TABLES.

MAIL TABLES. YOW READY MAIL TABLES 1887.

Showing Dates of DEPARTURE of the ENGLISH and FRENCH MAILS from HONG-KONG, of their anticipated ARRIVALS in LONDON, IT HE KUNG HO CHIH YU WALTZ and the Dates of RETURN DESPATCHES; and containing also a similar Table regarding PARCEL POST

AN ALMANAC FOR 1887. On Paper 10 Cents each, or One Dollar per Dozen. On Cardboard 20 Cents each ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR. On Cardboard 10 Cents. " Daily Press " Office.

Hongkong, Tith January, 1887. TOSEPH GILLOTT STEEL PENS.

GOLD MEDAL PARIN. 1878. Stationers and Dealers.

Consulting Committee at such times, to such Persons, upon such terms, and in such manner, and way in every respect as they shall in their discretion think best in the interests of the Company That the purchase of Inland Lots Nos. 72 and 780, Victoria, Hongkong, at the agreed

price of \$60,000 be now formally confirmed and these lands transferred into the Comuhuy's name. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. -Crina-Sugar-Refining Company

Hongkong, 10th Murch, 1887. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

- 79 THE ORDINARY HALF YEARLY MEETING of SHARDHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel, on MONDAY the 4th April, 1887, at HALF PAST THREE o'CLOCK IN THE AFFEENOON, for the purpose of receiving the Accounts and Report of the Directors and declaring a Dividend.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company | FITHE Steamship will be CLOSED from the 21st March to 4th April, 1887. LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DU SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).\_\_\_\_

NOTICE. TOTICE is heroby given that ORIGINAL SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 1362 dated 1st December, 1885, for SEVEN SHARES in the

ONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are above Company Nos. 3558(35592 standing in requested to Furnish the undersigned name of CHAN KAI MING of Hongkong has with a LIST OF THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS for the been LOST, and should the same not be proyear ending 31st December, 1888, in order that duced before the 20th estant a Duplicate the DISTRIBUTION OF BONUS may be Certificate will be issued to the said CHAN KAI arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the MING, and no transaction taking place under 31st day of March instant, will be adjusted by the said Original Scrip Certificate No. 1362 A.VD. GOURDIN, - Secretary.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE. COMPANY, LIMITED SCRIP LOST.

CICRIP CERTIFICATE No. 452 for ONE BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenta-SHARE in this Company No. 3338 registered at the Head Office in the name of

CHEONG KEE CHAN ias been declared to be LOST. This is to give notice that unless the said Certificate be, presented at the Offices of the Company on or before the 31st March, 1887, a New Certificate will be issued in lieu thereof. By Order of the Court of Directors, ALEXR. ROSS. Secretary.

Shanghai, 11th March, 187. . NOW READY, ... THE FEIHOO WALTZES

R. C. PASSHORE, published by SYDENHAM MOUTRIE. THE PIANOFORTE AND MOSIC WAREHOUSE, Shangha. 🐔 12th January, 1887. TIMBER

E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., Sandakan, British North Borneo, are now prepared to submit for inspection Samples of hard and soft TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and General purposes. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1886.

THE Undersigned, Agents for Mesers

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"GLENFALLOCH, having arrived from the above Ports, Cousignees of Cargo by Lor and by the S S. "LUDGATE HILL" from New York are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 P.N TO MORROW, the 15th instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd nstant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 14th March, 1887. NA VIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

(Florio and Rubattino United Companies. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM BOMBAY, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE.

having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are bereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium and valuables, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Messrs. MEYER & Co., Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. This vessel brings on Cargo from GENGA, ke., ex S. S. Manilla Consignees wishing-to-receive their Goods on

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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-

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Central, will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found required. necessary, co. munication with the Understand . The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and is requested, when immediate steps will be taken carries a Doctor and Stewardess. to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES.

Secretary. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885.

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[35] Hongkong, 19th March, 1887.

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THE Company's Steamship

Hongkong, 18th March, 1887.

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.E. L. WOODIN. Acting Superintendent Hongkong, 18th March, 1887. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. · NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE, AN

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of administration, naturally refers to the long Regency of the Empress in term's of sulogy. His Majesty says:-" For over ten years, the Empress has been untiring selecting wise men for the Government service, and dismissing those who were incapable for their office. Whatever mone she spent was for the benefit of the people, and the whole nation has been peaceful. History has never recorded such a brilliant administration as that under Her Majesty, a fact of which both officials and people are If the praise is somewhat lavieb. it must be admitted that it is not wholly undeserved. On the whole the present reign has been prosperous, and the Empress Regent certainly exercised ber power with considerable discretion. If the progress made by China has been slow, her material advancement has been steady, and signal disaster such as warked previous reigns has been brought upon the country by the folly of her rulers. The Empresses-for on the death of the Emperor Tung Car, on the 12th January, 1875, there were two Empresser-Regent-were fortunate in having moderate men to guida the Councils of the Empire. WEN-SIANG, the Gund Sec-

retary, and Prince Kung, President of the Grand Council, had both had experience of the folly of attempting to offer unreasoning resistance to reasonable demands they bad taken to heart the lesson of the destruction of the Summer Palace, a lesson inflicted by the Barl of Ergin in punishment of the black stateachery and bad faith; and these veteran statesmen were perhaps quarter of a. later\_describes this great in China's history as a singeing of her eyebrows. They regarded the incident more de ousli, ic inchi

Powers to telerate no treachery. Upon the death of WENTRIANG on the ZOID May, 1070, The Agents (Mesers, Melchers & Co.) inform encounters took place, resulting in the slaughter for the compounts that were com Secretariat of the Grand Council, and on the 1 p.m. yesterday for this port.

occurrence of the difficulty with Englandariaing out of the Yunnan outrage, Lt was deputed to negotiate a settlement with Sir Thomas WADE. That difficulty was settled by the conclusion of the Chefco Convention, and sum of money to be experted from a small place pealed to the Vicercy, who at once disolaimed several other questions with foreign states have also been arranged by the new Grand Se cretary in a manner mutually satisfactorily. In April, 1884, a Ministerial crisis occurred in Peking, and Prince Kono was degraded. Prince CR'un, the Emperor's father, was then appointed President of the Grand Council of State, and though some doubt was felt as to the wisdom of the change at the time, it proved in its results to be judicious, Prince CH'UN having shown unexpected liberality of views, and being decidedly more favourable to progress and reform than Prince Kung ever was. The credit of be conceded to the Empresses-Regent, and the surviving Empress has certainly displayed both moderation and intelligence to a remarkable extent considering the isolation in which she dwells and the exceedingly

Barrow scope of her actual experience.

Nor can it be devied that in some respects

Government have progressed during the minority of His Imperial Majesty Kwans Su. It is true that up to the moment the railway is still a novelty in China, and that its introduction can secreely yet be said to have been sanctioned; but, after tearing up the Woo- garrison in that colony will not wait for the excellent piece of engineering work. In a shed sung-Shanghai line it a childish pet in 1877, steamer Guihrie to go to Magao to embark them, at the foot of the line the carriages are in cours and considering several Memorials in their day. favour in subsequent years, sanction was at last given by the Government to the construction of a little railway which may be said to lead from nowhere to nowhere, but which may yet prove to be the commencement of a system of railway communication connecting Peking with the great industrial centres of the empire. If, however, the Government of the Regency could not make up their mind to permit the introduction of \$10,000. The Belgian Minister has also purthe railway they have heartily adopted the telegraph, and at the present moment there is connection by wire from Peking to Yunnan, from Shanghai to Hankow, with various subsidiary lines. Mining enterprise has also Is also Tls. 7:0,000 in cash, which it is proposed been encouraged, and though the results so far have hardly equalled expectations, this the new issue of cash is to be made by foreign is only due to the want of spergy with which | machinery. The Original and Gennine. the work has been taken in hand. The the autograph signature of yield good returns on the capital expended, wisfactory to see the abolition of the amptonshire Regiment (weather permitting) will Proprietors, Worcester; and profitable if properly directed. In any case old restrictions upon mining which limited

the production from existing mines and rigorously prohibited all attempts to open Prefect, and the Taotai upon the subject of emnew ones. Strenuous efforts have, too, of playing Chinese criminals at the roller in the ate been made to create a Navy; and with considerable success, China now possessing something more than the germ of a fleet. The Army bas also received some attention, and though comparatively little has been done towards bringing it into a state of discipline, there are some few trained troops, and most of them are fairly armed. Thanks to the labours of Sir Robert HART, the able | be commuted for a money payment. Inapactor-General of the Imperial Maritime Customs, a great deal has been done towards dered the Board of Works to employ the Imgets to navigation. In their intercourse steamers. The work will commence this spring, with Western States, the Chinese Government for the Union Instruction of the Union I ment have munifested some disposition to His Breellesse I blanding the one presented by advance with the times. One outcome of the Chefoo Convention was the despatch of Chinese Ministers Plentpotentiary to Foreign Courts, Kwon Suns-rao, the first Ambassador to England, lesving China in December, 1876, for London. However little where it was found that, beyond a for bruises benefit Western Powers may have derived from this step, it has unquestionably proved advantageoustoOhios, as her Representatives have acquired much valuable information and experience, and been able to post their Government in matters political. The fruits of their observations may, we think, be traced | then gave Tls. 10,000 to the Admiralty, for which in several late diplomatic successes, amongst which may be mentioned the Treaty with Russia of 1881 by which Kuldja was regained by China, and the Additional Article to the | terday per steamer Diamonte add little to what

Chefoo Convention, -both negotiated by the Marquis Tsang—which clearly confers ad- bilities and the probable assets cannot as yet vantages on China. The trouble with France be ascertained, as much depends on the course over Tonquin, leading to disastrous hostilities, which entailed on China large sacrifices in lives and treasure, somewhat marred the that the loss made by the Bank is in no case likely THE first Degree of the Emperor KWANG closing years of the Regency, but that little Sy, announcing his assumption of the remain war did not bring discredit on the Empire, and undersally increased the respect felt morial which is interesting as throwing light abroad for China's resources and tenacity of purpose. The prompt suppression of two or three incipient insurrections in different parts of the Empire, and the successful over- in the northern part of Yunnan. The Tingthrow by the veteran Tso Tsung-Tang of ch'uan prefecture, in which the rising occurred, the new power set up in Kashgaria by YACOOB BEG bave likewise served to de- there to a considerable extent. The western Manchu dignasty is as firmly seated Peking as ever, and that the arms of the We wish we could chronicle, side by side Memorialist heard that certain local members of proposal and did not take to into consideration. It is sciences, and to purge the body politic of rison feported that their spies had informed them corruption. Let us hope that this work on the 28th of October that Chang Hiso-i, a bad been misinformed in the course the project and colonel of the gar.

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In due course tion may be distinguished by the inauguration of the reforms so cryingly needed in the

opened yesterday and were then adjourned until Tuesday. There are eight cases on the calen- attack upon it by the rebels, whom, taking un- Minister at Poking conveys the information that these

The Acting Superintendent informs us that produced their region produced their region and their regions and what are the Acting Superintendent informs us that produced their regions and their regions and what are the same of the inverse of the in sailed for Hongkong yesterday morning.

outward English mail, left Singapore for this allegiance, and fastened it to an arrow port on Wednesday, the loth instant, at 5 p.m. To-night at the Theatre Royal, City Hall the it is determination on the part of Western casion is an attractive one, and there will no

dated Berlin, 22nd February, left Bingapore at rising, is said to have been killed, but the fact Tariff instead of an uncertain and variable one as they are resident for this nort.

The Portuguese gunboat Tamega, Captain Gouves, left here yesterday for Timor. like Wenchow. Most of the dollars are chopped. such action.

By kind permission of Captain Hall, Divine Seamen's Chaplain. The Bethel flag will be 5 p.m. The following is the programme:-

We (Daily News) mentioned somedays ago that four Shanghai Customs Officers had orders to re- Valed port themselves at Hongkong. We now learn Selection. that officers from Chefoo, Kinkiang, and Swatow Serenade ..... have been ordered by telegram to report at Hymn

announce that the next. Exhibition of the Hongkong Sketching Club will be held in the Dress Circle of the Theatre, City Hall, afternoon next, when the members all segla to see their friends from 3 to 6 p.m.

ing near the Gap, a stone, from the tramway The rope has been tested to a strain of 55 which is in course of construction, fell upon her. She was at once removed to the hospital and her injuries, which though somewhat severe are not | ing. To provide against any possibility of of a serious nature, were attended to.

send them abroad to study foreign ways and ap- boiler illustrates the working of the tramway, different Chinese Representatives abroad.

The Daily News says the following changes have been made in the commands of some of the Chiua Navigation Co.'s steamers :- Captain Shaw has returned to the Tungchow, Captain Hutchison to the Chun king, Captain Vallack to the Wenchow, and Captain Glasson has been

appointed to the Hangchow. The Shen-pao says that the Russian Minister at Peking has decided to enlarge the Legation sonages will attend the ninetisth birthday building, which is far from commodious; the cost celebration of the Emperor of Germany. of material and labour is estimated at about chased a piece of land at Peking, for the purpose of building an official residence.

The Hu-pao says that the balance in the Board of Revenue is over six millions of taels, including what is left of the foreign loan , there to use for paying the troops. The buildings of the new Board of Revenue are to be repaired and

In consequence of the rain rendering the Kaiping Mines will before long doubtless Ground unit to play on, the Cricket Match, Hongkong Cricket Club v. Ladies Recreation Club, had to be postponed until to-day at 12 LEA AND PERSONS on a red and other enterprises should prove equally o'clock noon. By kind permission of Colonel Anderson and Officers, the Band of the North-

> The Shen-pao publishes a correspondence between the Mixed Court Magistrate, the Assistant gatory to Chinese honour, seeing that only a minute on a very important subject the pro- able and important document, and has received Chinese criminals are thus paraded.

The Peking Gazette of the 18th February gives the panishment awarded to Shih Ent'so the clerk in the Board of Revenue, whose enormous "squeeze" on payments for the repair of the Yellow River was mentioned some time since. He has got a hundred blows and three years' banishment, but this will doubtless

The Hu-pao says that the Empress has orlighting the coast, and minimizing the danby 120 feet, so that it shall be navigable for the collection of Option
by 120 feet, so that it shall be navigable for gets to navigation. In their intercourse steamers. The work will commence this spring, to lowe te-

A portion of the scaffolding used in a erection. of the new buildings at the corn of Shelley Street and Hollywood Road, gare way yesterday afternoon, and a man and a boy who were employed there were precipitated into the road. They were taken to the Government Civil Hospital and confusions, they had luckily serious results of their fall.

According to a Shanghai native paper, an money out of the late Haikwas or Hoppo co Canton at the Tung-pien gate of Peking. got off for Tls. 8,000 through the intercession of one of the Ministers of State. The Haikway he received a No. 1 button. Later on he sub scribed Tls. 40,000 more, for which he was put down on the list of Captains General.

was known of the failure of Mesars. Peele, Hubbell & Co., of that port. The extent of the liaof the produce markets in America. Shareholders in the Hongkong and Shanghai Benk ing Corporation will, however, be glad to hear to be beriously large.

The Peking Gazette contains the following me-China, where the Man-tzu are numerous: -A Memorial from the Governor-General of Yunnan-Kweichow reporting the suppression of a formal rising of aborigines, headed by a Chinese, is occupied by many of the actors in the last great rebellion, and the germs of sedition exist portion of this prefecture adjoins the country of which the aborigines are continually crossing, to be placed under the British fag. the great misfortune of the country on the other side. In the month of October last the tion of the youthful monarch who has just had crossed the river, and, having pressed several grasped the belm, and that his administra- thousand of the criminal classes on the frontier to join them, had taken some six stockades, kill. Government, to the Viceroy of India, and to Hor Majesty's ing a military official and murdering several people. Troops were promptly brought up and by Mr. Russell. then supported by the train bands. The whole civil service and the system of judicial proforce, numbering over a thousand men, was led

The March Criminal Sessions were formally of October the Prefect arrived at the Mengawares, he attacked with vigour and put to the equivalent arrange ents with Macao have been concluded, rout, retaking the stoot ades they had captured and that from lat april next all duties on goods exported the 24th ultimo, has arrived at Yokohama and and arms. The robels then fied to a place partment. The Stations at the entirence to the contract had arms. The robels then fied to a place partment. The Stations at the entirence to the contract had arms. The robels then fied to a place partment. The Stations at the entirence to this Harbour than the stands along in his opinion. called Kuo Ch'ian An, where they established and that of Marzo will therefore in future be under a would be a very great boon to the common much to say—extertion, piracy, and indecent asprogramation of the part of the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for would amend their ways and return to their lays on the table, to be read a first time, the grant of the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary to the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration, and it is not necessary to the contract of 1883 the plaintiff was to serve for a some little consideration. the P. and O. steamer Cathon, with the next proclamation offering pardon to those who The Officer Administration the Comments. which was shot into the rebels stronghold. He Memorandum of Agreement, and which will, it is st. jeopardising any interest of the public or of State, the reasons very properly put forward. The defendants had the option of retaining the

requires verification.

The steamer Kiangpian arrived in Shanghai trate declined to relieve Catholics with a dole of on the 12th instrictor Wanchow. She brought rice except on condition of undergoing this or- Memorandum of the basis of Agreement crrived at \$227.00t. This (says the Daily News) is a large | deal. One of the French priests successfully ap-

By kind permission of Colonel Anderson and Service will be held to-morrow morning, at the Officers of the 2nd Northamptonshire Reeleven o'clock; on board the American barque giment, their regimental band will play in the Annie Johnson, by the Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, Gardens to morrow, the 20th inst., from 3.30 till

> Beored Lyre " Israel in Egypt"...... .. Chassaigne. One of the boilers for the Peak Tramway is

We are requested by the Hon. Secretary to now on its way up to the station at the Gap, and journey. Its weight is 75 tons, and it is loaded on a bogie weighing together with the frame 2 tons. Another begie loaded to the same weight is descending as a counterpoise, and the motive power is supplied by bight coolies working a crab Yesterday afternoon, while a wow an was walk- winch attached to the flywheel of the engine. tons, which is several times the strain which will ever be placed upon it in actual worka mident, however, there will be a safety

rope of the same strength running on pulleys b The Hu-pao stated on the 12th inst. that it | the side of the hauling vope, and in case of the had been decided to give a number of young latter parting from any cause the carriages would and in certain directions the Empire and its Manchus and Chinese Tla. 300 a month, and to simply come to a standstill. The hauling of the pliances. They will be under the orders of the except that the safety ropais not yet in position, and any one interested in the subject may now by a visit to the line see for themselves the arrange-We learn that the new Governor of Timor, ments of pulleys, etc., by which the ropes are Senhor Garcia, and Mrs. Garcia, and the officers guided. The line is laid on a solid bed of conand men forming the reinforcements for the crete, and the tramway must be pronounced an

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE "DATLY PRESS."] LONDON, 16th March. THE EMPEROR WILLIAMS BIRTH

DAY CELEBRATION. It is announced that eighty-five Royal per-

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Hongkong Legislative Council was held yesterday afternoon. There His Excellency out Acting Governor HON. W. H. MARSH. C.M.G. Hon. Sir GEORGE PHILLIPPO, Chief Justice. Hon, F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Hon. E.J. ACKEOVD, Acting Attorney-General. Hon. A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer. Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor-General. Hon. H. G. THOMSET, Harbour Master. Hon. P. RYRIE:

Hop. Wong Shing. Hon. A. P. MAGEWRY. Hou, J. Ball-Inving. Hon: C. P. CHATER. Mr. A. SETH Clerk of Councils,

MINUTES. The minutes of the last meeting were read

THE OPIUM AGREEMENT His EXCELLENCY-Ron. gentlemen of the Reference is made in this minute to a con-

the basis of Agreement arrived at by the Commission which then. met in Hoogkong in June last in pursuance of Article 7 Section III. of the Agreement between threat Britain and China, signed at Chefoo on the 18th September, 1978, and proceedings that the unofficial members—of Section 9 of the Additional Article to the said Agree. Council should meet the Executive Council, ment, staned at Loudon on the 18th July, 1885.

The Joi of Commissioners for China laid before the Comon Tuesday afternion.

Collection at the I ast cost, and as less lively then sub-r of the others to embarrais either Government or Com. India it was alleged that interference with capital could | fore the Council. be avoided, and by freeing Opion from thration in Chine, amuggling and its attendant stils would, it was thought, be brought to an end. The a cond plan proposed that China should do her own

rit ry, and take her own preventive steps all along the was approved. Chinese sea-bourd; a pl m which could be made two roughly effectual, but would necessitate large expenditure, and it was feared that it would cause much friction; and that the more thoroughly it was done the more heavily would it press on all affected by it. The third plan und r which it was proposed that there not press so heavily on any interest as the second. It

I .- The Chinese Customs were to provide two or three Opium Kulks to be anchored at Hongkong, supplemented, if required, by a Godown on shore, and the Mongkong bodies of persons who die in gaol. Advices received by letter from Manila yes. Government was to enact an Ordinance directing every ve set enturing the harbour to go alongside one or other of the Hulks This was subsequently modified and res-Hulk -the French Mail steamers into the French Hulk. the British into the British, and others into a miscellaneous 2.-Opium stored in the Opium Hulks was to be

treated as follows when leaving the Hulk;or by small Coasting vessels not under the foreign flag. to Chinese ports, to pay Duty and Lekin bufuye leaving

Duty and Lekin before leaving the Hulk. Hulk, and to be delivered at the Treaty Port, and they

than a thousand Mon-tzu to join him, that they sion led to some modification; and the o-nditional extenses This Memorandum of Agreement was transmitted by the Officer Adminis ering the Government to the Imperial

By a Confidential Despatch dated 21st January last, the Secretary of State for the Odonies conveyed to the Officer Administering the Government the approver of Her Majesty's Government of the course taken in this matter and Andrade left here for Macao yesterday morning. Meng ku, and the magistrate being placed in effect the terms of the Nemorandum of Agreement, so is really no use of a Coronar's jury, and I see no was sentenced to I think six or seven years "until the end of the month when you have done charge of the prefectural city. On the 31st soon as it was ascertained that the equivalent arrangements with the Government of Macao, referred to in condition 1 of that Memorandum, had been concluded. ke likin station just in time to prevent an A ale rim recently received from Her Majesty

tays on the table, to be read a first time, the Wish Ordin tenure of office I could, without in any way consideration to the despatch of the Secretary as a matter of fact was paid monthly in advance.

onshiered a magistrate for forcing destitute depute an Officer to make enquiry into the matter in the hristians to kneel before an idel. The magistrate declined to relieve Tathelies with a dela of Continue to the covernor of the Imperial to gather from what I near, I believe that this would not be advisable to have something in the resolution. I nature of a Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society, resolution will meet with no opposition. I nature of a Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society, resolution will meet with no opposition. I have as they have in England. When a workman the resolution I have a street of a Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society.

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London on the 18th July, 1885.

Mr. Russell undertakes that the Government of Hongkong shall submit to the Legislative Council an 1 .- For the prohibition of the import and export of

Oplam in quantities less than one chest. 3.—For rendering illegal the possession of Raw Opium, it enstedy or control in quantities less than one chest except by the Opium Farmer. B .- That all Cpium arriving in the Colony be from one store to another, or re-exported without a permit from the Harbour Master and notice to 4.—For the keeping by Importers, Exporters, and

Godown Owners in such form as the Governor may require, books showing the movement of 5. For taking stock of quantities in the stores, and search for deficiencies by the Onium Farmer and for furnishing to the Harbour Master return

6. For amendment of Harbour Begulations on the night olearances of junks. The conditions on which it is agreed to submit 1.-That China arranges with Macso for the adop-

tion of equivalent measures. 2.—That the Hongkong Government shall be entitled to repeal the Ordinance if it be found to be injurious to the Revenue or to the legitimate trade of the Colony. 3.—That an Office under the Foreign Inspectorate shall be established on Chinese Territory at a convenient spot on the Kowloon side for sale Chinese Opium Duty Certificates, which shall freely sold to all comers, and for such quandities

of Opium as they may require.

4 - That Opium accompanied at the rate of not more than fis. 110 per pionl. shall be free from all further imposts of every sort, and have all the benefits ctipulated for by the Additional Article on behalf of Opium, on which duty has been paid at one of the ports of Chins, sud that it may be made up in sealed par-That junks trading between Chinese ports and Hongkong, and their cargoes. Thall not be subject to any dues or duties in excess of those leviable, ance, 1887. on junks and their cargoon, trading between Chness ports and Macao, and that no dues whatseever shall be domained from junks coming to
Hongkong from ports in China or proceeding
from Hongkong to ports in China, over and above

the dues paid or payable at the ports of clearance 6.—That the Officer of the Foreign Inspectorate, who will be responsible for the management of the Kowleen Office, shall investigate and settle any complaints made by junkstrading with Hongkong against the Native Customs Revenue Stations or Cruisers in the neighbourhood, and that the Governor of Hongkons, if he deems it advisable, shall be entitled to send a Hongkong Officer to

made to the Authorities at Peking for a joint decision. Hir Robert Hart undertakes on behalf of himself and Shao Twotsi (who was compelled by unavoidable) circumstances to leave before the sittings of the Com. .aission were terminated) that the Chinese Government shall agree to the above conditions.
The undersigned are of opinion that if Arrangements are fully carried out, afairly satisfactory solution of the questions connected with the so-called Hongkong Blookade' will have been arrived at: Signed in triplicate at Hongkong, this 11th day of

September, 1886. J. Russett, (Higned), ROBBET HART. Inspector-General of Customs, China. BIBON BRENAN, I, B. M.'s Consul at Tientsin.

Legislative Council. I have to lay before you fidential despatch by Mr. Russell. It is a very ceedings of the Commission which sat here in high commendation from the Secretaries of State

It was arranged, at a subsequent stage of the proceedings that the unofficial members of suggested by is Excellency, at three o'clock

Council had been printed, the other paragraphs merce. By a system of deferred payments of dutie, in referred to business which would not be laid be

The minutes of the Finance Committee were laid on the table, and a vote of \$900 for the emwork, that is, collect her own Revenue on Chinese ter. ployment of a temporary Inspector of Nuisances THE ABOLITION OF CORONER'S INQUESTS.

The ATTORNEY GENERAL-I beg, sir, to move the following resolution, of which notice was given at the last meeting of this Council. . Whereas the circumstances of this colony do not should be a sort of on-operation between England and require the enquiry into cases of suddon or violent China, was somewhere between the other two; it would death by a Coroner's jury, and whereas no advantage be more expensive than the first, and it probably would is found to arise from such enquiries, be it resolved was called the Hulk plan. Its general outline was as ing the office of Coroner and providing for an enquiry follows: quests by a Police Magistrate with a jury on the if there are any objections consider them at the he would be guided by his decision. On the 7th

If I were asked to state of what use are the

rests upon some one, and that person is arrested, published, (a.) Opium leaving a Hulk & go by steamer to Macao, an inquiry takes place before a police magisjury is of no use whatever at that or any sub- opinion there is a necessity for a new gaol. Customs at the Treaty Post a Cargo Certificate des hension on that score. In Mauritius, where new good is an entirely different matter. tribin; the nature and quality of Opium reserved from the I occupied the post of District Magistrate for It was suggested the despatch as printed many years, there is no Coroner, and I am sure, might be read, and the CLERK read it accordother ressel direct to the Customs at the port concerned. sir, you will bear me out; when, I say that the ingly.

Minister at Peking, with a Confidential Report drawn up

of treitors in the camp, and then attacked it from of the Colony. It is practically the same measure as has on them. I feel that they suffer loss of time, of trevtors in the camp, and then attacked it from been in force in the Birmin Settlements for years past, and that loss of time serves no useful or practices of the sold and the loss of time serves no useful or practices and the loss of time serves no useful o

The Vicercy of Childli has, mays the Hu-pao, in case of any dispute the Governor of Hongkong can to gather from what I hear, I believe that this would not be advisable to have something in the

tion of a duty which has been found to be most

the resolution. The CHIEF JUSTICE-I have no objections to ported to the Harbour Master, and that no Opium | make to the measure. I would not bind myself shall be transhipped, landed, stored, or moved to the exact words of the resolution, but I think Coroner's juries might be abolished in most

HIS EXCELLENCY-Thore seems to be no opposition at all to the resolution. The resolution was then put to the Connoiland carried nom. con.

THE OPIUM CHDINANCE. The Colonial TREASURER-I beg, sir, move the first reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance for the better regulation of the trade in opium "-the Ordinance which has been referred to by your Excellency in your speech. The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The Bill was read a first time. The COLONIAL TREASURER gave notice that t the next meeting of the Council he would move the second reading of the Bill. THE POLICE ORDINANCE. The ACTING ATTORNEY-GUNERAL moved the

first reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the law for the establishment and regulation of the Police Force of the The Acting Colonial Secretary seconded.

The Bill was read a first time. THE SLAUGHTER HOUSE AND MARKETS ORDINANCE. The Acting Attorney-General moved the

first reading of a Bill entitled "The Cattle Diseases, Slaughter-Houses, and Markets Ordin-The Acring Colonial Secretary seconded. four o'clock.

The Bill was read a first time. ABOLITION OF PENAL BERYLTUDE. The ACTING ATTORNET-CENERAL moved the first reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to abolish transportation and penal servitude and

to substitute other punishment in lieu thereof." The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded. His Excellency-The Ordinance simply abolishes the terms "transportation" and "penal servitude." does it not? The Acting Attorney-General-It is

really simply abolishing the terms. There is no be present at, and satist in the investigation difference between paud servitude and imprisonment with hard labour except a Wilkinson) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. very small detail with regard to rations. What the Ordinance provides is that no defendants. person shall henceforth be sentenced to penal servitude or transportation, but he will be liable to be sentenced to imprisement with hard labour for the same term of years as if he were now £70 16 8 at 3/24 for salary earned and due sentenced to poual servitude. THE FRENCE AND GERMAN MAIL STEAMERS plaintiff engaged himself in London in Janu-

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as the original one. The Bill was read a second time. first reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance should have given notice, and failing to do so the to make provision for securing the status. German mail steamers within the ports of the his option was to remain, and he did so without

the table cortain correspondence in reference to was similar to the preceding Bill except that a plaintiff learned from Mr. Bell-Irving—who is a THE FOLICE SUPERVISION BILL.

> pends on the other. THE WHIPPING OBDINANCE. The Acting Attorney-General -With re- special agent at Melbourse, and that probably ference to the Bill entitled "An Ordinance em- if the Union sent a man the Canton would send powering the Courts to award whipping as a one, and that be, Mr. Dear, would likely get the further punishment for certain crimes." I don't billet. The plaintiff had in the meantime made. know whether the Council will go into Committee | a verbal application to the Union, but on getting now or prefer to postpone it until they have bad | the memo. referred to above, at once withdrew it an opportunity of reading the despatch of the and begged that it might be distinctly under-Secretary of State which has been laid on the stood that no action would be taken by him con-

table. We might go through the Bill now, and trary to the wishes of Mr. Bell-Irving, and that Hou. A. P. MACEWEN-I presume your Ex- Irving left the Colony, he applied for the Melcollency has very good reasons for meraly pub- | bourne Union Agency, in writing, and get thesptricted to vessels arriving with Opium on board. These ner and a Coroner's jury in cases of sudden or lishing a portion of that despatch, but I would pointment on the 10th December. No intimation

or the escape of any offender by the change I not worth 6d. I think that is rather a strong to centimue till the end of the month under the now seek to bring in. I am informed that this power to put in the hands of the court, and I belief that he would be paid when the month was question has often engaged the attention of for- don't see how a judge would escape the respon- up. At the end of the month he sent in his draft. mer Attorneys General and that they were in sibility if it is thrown on him by the legislature. It was returned to him with a memo.—"No favour of it, but had no time, or perhaps oppor- I therefore suggest some consideration should salary due before 25th March." The writ was tunity of bringing it in. I must say, however, be given to a punishment of that sort. With taken out on the lat March; on the 2nd the that Mr. O'Malley was against any change, but I reference to the other cases in which the Bill plaintiff offered to continue till the 25th, but this

forced to make sorties, and governithand to hand ment has been ested but all grounds will be removed should be enquired into by a Tolico Magistrate ment of a few cuts of the cape for petty largery so as to specify the nature. The Agents (Measrs, Melchers & Co.) inform successful that the plant of the complete that the plant of the plant of the plant of the plant of the plant of

Hon. P. RYRIE-My learned friend has so probably have no difficulty in getting employefter discussion between Mr. James Russell, Poisse clearly and so fully explained the reasons why ment again, and the majority of prisoners Judge of Hongkong; Sir Robert Hart, K.C.M.G., the Coroner's jury should be done away with, come under that category, but there are shop-Inspector-General of Customs, and Shao Teo Tai, that he has left but little for me to say. If this keepers and others who have probably given Joint Commissioners for China; and Mr. Byron resolution is passed, and a new Ordinance abolish- way to temptation; and there may be cases. ing Coroner's juries introduced, it will meet I am, sure I cannot say there are none-where between Great Britain and China, signed at Chefod, with the approval of a very large majority in false charges have been brought against a man. on the 18th September, 1878, and of Section 9 of the this Colony. Serving on Coroner's juries is a When he comes out he finds it very difficult to Additional Article to the said Agreements, signed at terrible tex on invers, and it has been more so get employment. In England he would have of late years when they have had to go all the the opportunity of going to the Discharged Priway to the Mortuary. In former years it was not soners Aid. Society, and they would seek for so bad, because the Mortuary was near the Police employment for him, keep him while he was n Raw Opium subject to conditions hereinafter set Station. Now they have to go, at their own charge gotting it, or make provision for sending him and expense, to a very great distance. If this away if he could reasonably be sent to some resolution passes, it will be a very popular aboli- colony. There is then no excuse for him to return to crime. But I am afraid in many cases irksome. I have much pleasure in seconding in this colony a man who has been once convicted and sent to gool has no chance of escaping from a criminal life; and it is made all the worse for him by his being placed under police supervision. It he were placed under police supervision and at the same time had the means of living honestly I would have no pity for him if he fell back into orime, but if he finds he must either steal or starve, -and then if brought before the court again he must be whipped-it seems to mo-it some charitable institution of the kind I have mentioned could be get up, amongst the Chinese in pacticular, for holding out some kind of a saving hand to a man after his first conviction, so as to enable him to live an honest life if he chooses, the Government ought to contribute liberally towards it, and then I think we would be much more justified in bringing in these pro-

> ted by professional criminals. The question that the order to go into committee on the Bill be postponed was then put and

visions, which are certainly necessary to guard

the colony against the crimes that are commit-

THE PROTECTION OF YOUNG GIRLS. The Bill for the better protection of young wirls was recommitted in brder that a verbal alteration might be made, and the Bill was then ead a third time and passes

THE CENTRAL MIRRET. The SURVEYOR-GEVERIL-I beg leave, sir. to lay on the table the report of the Public Works Committee on the proposed temporary Central Market.

The Council adjourned until Friday next at

SUPREME COURT.

19th March. - IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE RUSSELL. E. E. DEAR & JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Mr. Wilkinson (of Messrs, Caldwell and Deacon (of Messrs. Wotton and Deacon) for the

This case was heard on the 9th instant, and his Lordship now delivered judgment as follows :-The plaintiff claims payment of \$440.13= for the month of February, 1887. The ary, 1885, "as Insurance Clerk or in any The Actived Attorney-General-I move- capacity in which he might be required" by the the second reading of a Bill entitled "An Or | defendants firm in China or Japan for a period dinance to make provision for securing the status of three years, the salary to be paid from date of of French mail steamers within the ports of the enrival and to be at the rate of £750 per annua colony of Hongkong." In 1880 the first Or. in the first two years, and £800 for the third dinance respecting French mail steamers was year. The salary was to be paid quarterly. By passed. It was limited for one year and was re- the 6th clause of the agreement it was stipulated newed from year to year. Last year it was that if the defendants' firm wished to retain the renewed, and it would expire on the lat. Sop. plaintiff's services they could do so for any term tember next. It is necessary before that time not exceeding two years at the rate of £850 per arrives to renew the operation of this Ordinance, annum. The firm was to give notice and specify June last under the Chefoo Convention to dis both for India and the Colonies, but liam unpose of those matters generally referred to as able to lay it before the Council because it is year this new Ordinance provides that it tended service. The plaintiff's term of three years the blooksde of Hongkong. I will read the strictly confidential. I was roing to propose shall continue in force so long as the Postal expired on the 25th March, 1886; and no notice to mofficial members of Council that they convention between England and France con- had been given of any extended term, and no new The Officer Administering the Government is now able should meet the Executive Council here next cluded on the 24th September, 1856, shall restand and arrangement was made varying the amount of the Council acopy of the Memorandum of Tuesday, and the report will be read to them main in force. Otherwise the Bill is the same salary which had been set out in the 6th clause The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded. mutually understood that the plaintiff was to continue at the advanced salary. If the defendants The ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL moved the intended to insist on plaintiff remaining on, they of contract was at an end at the plaintiff seption. But The Acting Colonial Secretary laid on colony of Hongkong." He explained that this lasking better terms. On the 26th November the The Bill was read a second time. - ment would suit him, and next day he begge Mr. Bell-Irving's support to an application which The ACTING ATTORNET-GENERAL-With re- he intended to make for the post, and Mr. Bellference to the next order, to go into Committee Irving promised to consider the matter. On the on a Bill entitled "An Ordinance for the more 1st December Mr. Bell-Irving wrote a note to effectual Prevention of Crime," I shall ask that the effect that the appointment of a special agent it be postponed until the Ordinance for the aboli- might depend on the outcome of some contion of penal servitude is passed. The one de- | feronces going on in London, but that he did not I see his way in any case to his leaving the Canton and going to the Union Insurance Co. as their

vessels were to discharge their Opium into an Opium violent death, I should be rather embarrassed in express an opinion that it would be more satis- of the application had been made to Mr. Mocanswering the question, because when the evi- factory to the public, seeing the report of the gregor, who was in charge of the firm's business. dence taken before the Coroner's jury has proved Commission was a public document, that the full But on the 10th the plaintiff addressed the the commission of a crime, and strong suspicion reply of the Secretary of State should also be firm saying he had been appointed and would ter-His EXCELLENCY-I think I have given brunry. He says that he had brought the mattrate. Evidence is taken afresh, and even the everything that refers to the report of the Com- ter before Mr. Bell-Irving "who did not wish proceedings before the police magistrate can go mission. The remainder of the despatch refers me to leave" but after careful thought his own on before any verdict is given by the Coroner's to other matters not before the Council, such as interests led him to be guided by his own feeljury; and the evidence taken by the Coroner and the building of a new gaol, expressing a strong lings. Mr. Macgregor replied next day that he sequent enquiry. Were I asked also if there were Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-I beg to say your ance of an engagement from the Union Insur-Treaty Port by vessels under Treaty Power flags of any fear of a miscarriage of justice, or escape Excellency's answer is perfectly satisfactory to ance Co., and stated that he thought plaintiff of a guilty person, by abeliahing the office me if the portions of the desputch which have was under a misconception as to his position Duty and Lokin at the Testy Port in the manner of a guilty person, by abeliahing the office me if the portions of the desputch which have was under a missonception as to his position.

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Supervided for by the Additional Article, but the Hulk of Coroner and the Coroner's jury, I should have been printed are all that refer to the report of with Jardine, Matheson & Co. In the absence Officials to issue to each such veisel for d livery to the no hesitation in saying we need have no appre- the Commission. Of course the question of a of Mr. Bell-Irving for a short time he said he him. On the 1st January Mr. Dear seems to have drawn his month's pay in advance as usual. Mr. Bell-Irving returned about the mid-The CHIEF JUSTICE-I beg to propose that | dle of that month, and on the 22nd a letter was the aborigines known as Nei-man-tisu; or feweral outline had been acceptable to the Hongking any miscarriage of justice, in consequence, or black Man-tsu, in Szechuen, from which proin the Colony-or shewn to live been exported to places
vince it is separated only by the Chin-sha China. Another was that the Hulks should

our ed there. As goon as any violent or sudden opportunity or considering the despatch of the choice make enquiries. Secretary of State and also the other legislation release him, and pointing out that his engagement death is reported, the police make enquiries death is reported, the police make enquiries death is reported to places death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the enquiries death is reported to place the construction of the constr U der instructions from Her Mejecty's Government, to the District Magistrate, who, accord. The Bill for better prevention of crime places The letter then comments on the plaintiff's the British Commissioners build not assent to the first ing to the circumstances of the case, causes priminals under police supervision for a length and remarks of 1st December, says that he is morally a rost mortem examination to be made by period, and with regard to this Bill, which imposes bound for two years, and finally "your conneca Government medical officer or orders the whipping for somewhat trivial offences, some tion with us cannot close before 25th March." burial of the body, and gives such further in- little consideration is required. For instance, The plaintiff replied to that on the 25th January, genuine desire to adopt reforms in the adwarned the prefect to take strict precantions. Tolony. However, as it was desirable to help the apon any one, when evidence sufficient to war. In due course the prefect and colonel of the gar. Chinese Government to solve their Opium Revenue if rant an arrest is obtained, he is arrested, and previous convictions of felony "that is, after been given him of the extended term, but previous convictions of felony "that is, after been given him of the extended term, but the course the prefect and colonel of the gar."

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> took measures also to secure the co-operation peted protect and improve the Opium Excise Revenue lessening any safeguard, confer this boon up by the Chinese Justices of the Peace, and also plaintiff's services at £850 for two years longer. the stipulations of that agreement. Nothing Hon. P. Ryrie-If you introduced the punish- was said or done at the end of the three years

hiring, the salary to be paid monthly. The pay- in anything; she cannot carry on. I want my peared for the defence, and offered no opposition, ments were so made up to February. Fairman money as well as he wants his. ... He has no right and v. Oakford was relied on to show that the hiring to keep my papers two or three years if he can- His Worship adjourned the case till Monday, was monthly and therefore determinable at a not preve my case. Here is a paper which shows the 21st instant. month's notice. That case, however, went upon we have money. Let him get that money and the fact that the plaintiff had been previously in pay his rent out of it. Let him say I may defendant's employ when the hiring was a month- attend to my own business if he cannot attend to ly one, and the jury found that the new hiring it. There is money and it all belongs to me. was the same as the former. It is contended Let him send and get it. that if the hiring was a yearly one the notice | His Lordship-That has nothing to do with given was reasonable, and the same case is relied this case. You must prove your case, Mr. on, and also Creed v. Wright 1 G.P D. is cited Johnson. as showing that a general hiring may be ended Mr. H. W. Davis, agent for the property by a reasonable notice. Buckingham v. The gave evidence as to the amount of rent due, and Surrey and Hants Canal Co, was a case where said he gave notice to determine the tenancy last plaintiff was employed at a salary of £500 a year. | September. He was dismissed with three months' notice. Fair- Mrs. Falconer-I have written to the missionman v. Oakford was cited in argument, but the aries in Canton and they are trying to get this Court held that the general rule is that when the money for me so that I can get other money to hiring is a yearly one it cannot be put an end to pay my bills here.
before the end of the year unless there is a His Lordship—They want to get possession of anstom as to notice. There was no ovidence of the house. oustom and the plaintiff recovered. There is no . Mrs. Falconer-Well. I have nowhere to go but custom here as to notice, and I am of opinion out of doors; so, gentlemen, if you like to turn that the contract could not be legally put an end me out ... I have gone days without anything to to by notige on the part of either. Suppose the cat. If Mr. Sharp will attend to my businessdefendants had wrongfully dismissed Mr. Dear I want my money as well as he wants his. If he

and handed him a month's pay—or dismissed him had looked after my case as well as he is looking with three months' notice, is it likely that a jury after his own I would not have owed Mr. Sharp would have thought such notice or pay sufficient a cent. in an action for wrongful dismissal. It seems His Lordship-I am quite sure Mr. Sharp original contract he was engaged for three years. matter stand over for a week you will be able to As each quarter fell due he had a cause of action | make arrangements for paying the money or for a quarter's salary, and under the new con- getting into another house I will let it stand tract it seems to me he would have had a cause over. of action at the end of each month. As the Mrs. Falconer-Well, I am not afraid of no plainfiff would have had his remedy by action getting money or I would not stay here. It is for wrongful dismissal, so the defendants might some time since I wrote to the missionaries, and have had a co-extensive and commonsurate rethey have had two or three letters passing to mady against the plaintiff for his breach of con- and fro, but I cannot say when it will be finished. for his breach by a penalty. Here they had no about giving up the house? remody unless instant dismissal or an action. Mr. Sharp-There have been several applica-Huttman v. Bullnois 2 C. and Payne is the only tions for the house; but so far as the rent is con- having been until now some uncertainty as to case which has been referred to at all resem- cerned I am willing to make any consideration. the area that would be available for temporary bling the present one, and yet it is clearly dis- Mrs. Falconer will not go out of the house or tinguishable. The other cases like Saunders v. I pay any rent. Whittall are cases under special contracts of notice and forfeiture. In Huttman v. Bulinois You did not try when you had it in hand. plaintiff suddenly left his employer without any notice. He was a clerk to be paid £100 per into the matter. Mrs. Falconer mentions. year. He had served seven months, and had been That was many years ago, and there were no papaid apparently at intervals up to 9th November, pers forthcoming, and nothing could be done. it does not appear how, and he left on 31st Jan- Mrs. Falconer-You did not try to get them nary without asking for pay or giving notice. He. It you had spent half the money you spent in amount he claimed for services rendered; it was got those papers. refused. He brought su action. Abbot C. J. His Lordship gave judgment for the amount non-suited on two group is-1st that the hiring admitted, \$360, and made an order for posseswas yearly and he had not fulfilled his engage- sion on the let April. ment, and 2nd that he had threatened his master; Mr. Sharp-I regret the circumstances alt but the same Judge, Lord Tenterden, was dis gether. It is a very unfortunate thing. satisfied with his decision evidently, for help granted a new trial, and pointed out to the plaintiff's counsel that an action would lie against the plaintiff for breach of contract. That was admitted, and, on the suggestion of the Judge, the on 15th March, 1885. defendant paid the £15, no costs on either side, and defendant undertook not to take action against the plaintiff. From the report of this case it Messes, Wotton and Descon's) for the defendant,

would seem that the Judge in the first instance did not remember that there had been payments had been adjourned in order that William John made from time to time to him. of salary. In Williams, husband of the defendant, might be the present case instead of dismissing him or made a party to the suit. treating his engagement to the Union Insurance! Company as a breach of contract the defendants on the 1st February told the plaintiff that the lord that the husband is not liable for debt conmonth's pay was not yet due and accepting his tracted by his wife, except for necessaries. This service for their own convenience allowed him to transmition was entered into on account of her go on with his work. Was there not then an separate estate. implied promise to the effect that when he had ... Mr. Webber-The money was lent on three earned his month's pay he would get, it? I different occasions in separate same. When think there was, and that the plaintiff was enti- the first sum was lent defendant was a single tled to his month's salary. He might have been woman. told "your contract does not expire till 25th | Mr. Bowles-Tadmitthe liability, on the part March and if you remain till then you will get the defendant, for a portion of the amount claimpaid but if you don't an action will, be brought ed, but not for the whole. The promissory note field in the sentence, and must not exceed 36 in the Opine will, be brought ed, but not for the whole. The promissory note against you for the breach." But he was not so was given on the distinct understanding that told, and the reasonable inference for him to plaintiff was to pay to defendant a further sum | the age of 16 years. draw was that he would get his month's pay of 850. This sum was never paid. at the end of the month. In Searle v. Ridley 28 L.J. N.S. 411 a case not cited at the hearing, as to the extent of the liability, and then enthe plaintiff entered into the service of defendant quiry will have to be made whether there is any at a salary of £350 a year to be paid monthly. separate estate, over which defendant has proper Notice was to be given on either side of "two control, and from which this debt can be paid mouths to terminate the contract. During the the the plaintiff was not competent for the work the purpose of redeeming some gold bracelets he undertook, and gave him the two months' which she had pawned. I did not know, at the notice, but did not dismiss him for incomparancy. time, if she was married or not. I afterwards In the 2nd mouth he got further evidence of lent for \$50. Then she gave me the promissory defendant justified his dismissal on the ground fendant was a member. I have several times of incompetency, and the Country Court Judge made application to her for the money and she dismissed the second action. The case was appealed promised to pay me, as soon as her son got some and the Country Court Judge's decision was employment. upheld, and Justice Blackburn said "our opinion is not asked upon the Judge's first decision, but from Mrs. Williams for the plaintiff. That was in the Straits Sattlements. Laird and Boulton v. Thompson also show Williams should pay to me \$5 a month. although in the latter case doubt was raised upon his letter of the 1st December, I don't time. I am possessed of same property. had been misled by Mr. Keswick he could note and also refused to pay me the \$50. have given up at the end of three years, but he Lai San stated-I am an smah to Mrs. W that he did not think anything about whether characters. the firm was under the belief that they had his . His Lordship expressed an opinion, after

E. GRARD V. HARRIET E. FALCONER, \$378. Mr. Johnson appeared for the plaintiff. The defendant was unrepresented.

session of a house-of which the tenancy had been determined by notice. The defendant resides at No. 231, Queen's-road East, of which Mr. Sharp to recover the note. I shall therefore give judg is the landlord. The rent is \$18 per month, and ment for the plaintiff for \$225 and costs. I shall has not been paid for twenty-one months, according to the case for the plaintiff, but according to separate estate the money will be paid out of it. the defendant the number of months owing was

twenty. · Mrs. Falconer said she pleaded a set off, and being asked by His Lordship to state her case, she commenced to read a statement to the effect that she rented the house in October, 1882, and on the 13th of this month had ocenpied it for fifty-three months. She had receipts for thirty-three months. During all this time, the landlord had never had the house cleaned or repaired, though she had made P. Taylor, all of Newcastle, were charged with repeated applications. If the roof leaked she assaulting T. P. McConnell, master of the Brihad had to get it mended. If any painting was tish schooner R.L.T., on which vessel they were (2.) It would to a certain extent close the door required she had to pay for it. The house next employed as seamen. door. No. 229, was the same rent, had the same | The assault occurred while the vessel was number of rooms, the same landlord and agents, lying at Manila. The case was heard there, beand she could not tell how many different tenants fore a Naval Court of Inquiry, and was sent had been in the house.-

the case. Mrs. Falconer. Have I not a right to be said were unclean. As he had them thoroughly treated as wall as any other person?

His Lordship How much do you want to that he was obliged to remain an inmate of the deduct for this? Mr. Sharp says he is willing hospital for four days. to allow you anything that is reasonable. Mrs. Falconer I was going to say what has counter charge of assault to bring against the been done for other people;

His Lordship But that has nothing to do struct a solicitor for their defence, His Worship Love would have loved as well had they been

. re. Falconer-It shows the price. His Lordship-The contract rests between The charge of morder against Inspector you two If you have any set-off Mr. Sharp Quincey brought by the relatives of the man

you want to set off? Mrs. Falconer-Mr. Sharp was acting for me in Mr. Dennys, who appeared to prosecute, apbecause I had no power of attorney from my not prepared with his evidence.

to me clear that they would have considered Mr. would not press you or be unreasonable, but he is oil yesterday :-Dear was engaged for a year if not for two with clearly entitled to his rent, and clearly he salary to be paid monthly. The fact of his is entitled to his house. If there is no hope getting his salary monthly would not be a bar to of your making arrangements I will make the his getting probably six months' damages. In the order at once, but if you think by letting the

tract. In the original contract they provided His Lordship-What do you say, Mr. Sharp, stall space.

Mrs. Falconer-I am trying to get the money. earlier. Mr. Sharp-Lthink it is not necessary to go anbacquently applied for £15 which was the sending notices and papers to me you would have | CORRESPONDENCE IN CONNECT

CHUN ARAI V. S. WILLIAMS. This was a suit to recover the sum of \$225, on a promissory note, given by defendant to plaintiff

Mr. Webber (from the office of Mr. Ewons) appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. Bowles, (of The case had already been partly heard, but

On His Lordship taking his seat, Mr. Howles said-My first contention is, my

His Lordship-I will first hear the evidence Chun A Kwai, the plaintiff, was called and stated first mouth the amployer came to the conclusion \_\_ I lent the defendant \$90 four years ago for plaintiff sued for the month's wages and recove- except one payment of 55. I had several loan asso. sort to cutting off the queues as a mode of Register showing the number of sheets imported red. He then sued for the two months wages and ciations some four or five years ago of which de. punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment, and you should consider whether Register shewing the number of chests imported punishment.

Marie Lopes stated -I have received money I am inclined to think he was right there, in the month of January of this year. Plaintiff the salary being paid monthly." Taylor v. owes me \$95, and it was arranged that Mrs. that a cause of action accrued monthy, defendant owes plaintiff about \$200. I believe. whether the action would be till the end of the woman. I was married in 1877. I was a member and Medical Officer must be held responsible for voyage owing to a special agreement. I prefer of several loan associations of which plaintiff seeing that these conditions are fulfilled, I have to decide this case on the ground that although was agent. I admit owing some money, about do., the plaintiff might have been dismissed, the \$125, to the plaintiff. She never leut me 890 defendants allowed him to work for the month for the purpose of redseming some bracelets. of February, apparently to suit their own con- When I signed the promissory note, plaintiff vanience (and undoubtedly it may have been promised to lend mass sum of \$50, which I never very inconvenient to lose his services) and upon received. The signature, to the promissory the understanding, at all events on his part, that note is mine. I signed it on the consideration he would be paid at the end of the month, of her lending me that sum. She sent me 310 Nevertheless had he left on the 1st of March only, on the day following my signing without any warning I am of opinion he should the promissory note. I did not write have recovered his February salary. With the promissory note. Plaintiff wrote it and reference to Mr. Dear's action in going back I signed my name. I was in bed, ill, at the think the reasons are satisfactory. If he plaintiff refused to return me the promissory

went on without remark, and Mr. Bell Irving had liams. The promissory note was not written by told him that he could not lot him go to the my mistress. She was ill at the time. She only Union Insurance in any case. When he says eigned it. I do not know how plaintiff, who is that he only remained to better his position, and Chinese, wrote the promisiory note in English

services for two years, he must have forgotten examining the promissory note, that the writing his conversation with Mr. McClyment when he in the body of the note, and the signature, were said that although he was morally bound for two by the same hand. Mrs. Williams was therefore years, yet he was not legally, and the question of requested to write a copy of the promissory note, pay was a great deal to him 'Ho was legally which she did. After examining the copy, his bound for one year with a right to get paid Lordship said that the handwriting and the monthly, and he was and is perhaps still liable orthography of this copy confirmed his opinion to an action for his breach of contract. I decide that the original note had been written and sign-

in favour of the plaintiff's claim, but without ed by the same person In giving judgment, his Lordship said-The defendant cannot go behind the promissory note. If she did not, as she alleges, write that note, she admits that she signed it and was perfectly aware of its contents. If she gave it on the un-This was a claim for rent, and to recover pos- derstanding that she was to receive a further sum, I cannot but think that if that sum was not received by her she would have taken steps cause enquiry to be made, and if there is any

> POLICE COURT. 18th March.

BEFORE MB. E. MAGKEAN.

AGLEGED MUTINY ON BOARD SHIP. H. C. Jonsen, C. Sunderland, J. Stewart, and

on to this Court to be dealt with. The pro-At this point his Lordship stopped the de secutor, in stating his case, said that the disfendant and told her this had nothing to do with pute arose in consequence of his ordering the (4.) It is meaningless, and we cannot think of mate to put water in some casks, which prisoners cleansed, he refused to listen to them. The mate Mr. Sharp-I will reduce the amount with ordered them forward to their work, when they, The Honourable Frederick Stewart, Acting pleasure if Mrs. Falconer claims to deduct any- pushing aside the mate, rashed upon him, and beat him so severely about the head and chest

The prisoners intimated that they had a master, and in order to give them time to inremanded the case till next morning.

THE CHARGE AGAINST INSPECTOR QUINCEY.

Вигови Мв. Н. Е. Wориномав. CHARGE OF PUBLISHING AN INDECENT

last, in the Tsun Wan Yat Po. Mr. A. B. Johnson, Crown Solicitor, pro-

secuted, and Mr. Webber (from the office of Mr. Ewens) appeared for the defence. .The article in question having been read in the Court, Mr. Webber stated that he had not heard the actual charge before, and begged for a remand, in order to propare his defence, and refer to similar cases, proviously tried.

His Worship acceded to the request, and the hearing of the case will be resumed on Saturday

THE TEMPORARY CENTRAL MARKET.

The following report by the Public Works Committee was laid before the Legislative Coun-

The Public Works Committee have had under consideration the question as to the best provision to be made for stall accommodation pending the construction of the proposed New Central Market, and they recommend that the southern or Queen's Road half of the present old structure be used as a temporary market | Governor may require. pending the erection of the northern balf of the proposed new buildings, and that upon that section of the new building being completed, the before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not ex- a Magistrate to be dealt with according to law. like water and dire disaster would follow. stall-holders be moved into it until the new

market purposes, the Committee have not been

J. M. PRICE. Chairman. J. BELL IRVING. C. P. CHATER. FREDERICK STEWART. A. LISTER.

WITH THE WHIPPING ORDINANCE.

The following correspondence was presented to the Legislative Council yesterday aft rucon EXTRACTS FROM SECRETARY OF STATE'S DES-PATCH, NO. 78, OF 10TH DECEMBER, 1886.

SECRETARY OF STATE, FOR THE COLONIES TO THE OFFICER ADMINISTRRING THE GOVERNMENT OF HONGEONG.

Colony. I am prepared to approve a modification a requisition properly filled up in the form of of the law relating to corporal punishment in the Schedule E, whereupon the Harbour Master direction, though not to the full extent, suggested by the Commission. I consider that the F authorising the transhipment or removal of Courts may properly be authorized to impose the said Opium, which permit shall be exhibited Arnold. this penalty in the cases specified in the first paragraph of the letter of the Chinese Justices, ox- by the Farmer or his agent, and shall not be cept the offence of "being found armed with used or acted upon until it has been so signed. dangerous weapons, without sufficient resson and excuse," but I cannot sanction its imposition as ture from the Colony of any steamer carrying Cash at head office :a punishment of adults for patty largeny, or for the offence of returning from banishment. number of strokes to be inflicted must be speci-

which was transmitted with your Despatch of custody, but so soon thereafter as the Harbour the 26th of June, empowering the Superinten. Master's. Office is opened the said Agent shall dent of the Gaol, without the concurrence of a apply for the necessary permit, and furnish the Visiting Justice, to inflict corporal punishment particulars requisite. for certain prison offences and requiring him to report to the Gevernor every case in which he exercises that power. --

tices of the Peace, that it is not desirable to re. shall be seized and forfeited. it may not be desirable to alter the prison regu

7.- I approve the suggested reductions in the scale of diet. No more food should be given to prisoners than is sufficient to keep them in good health and enable them to perform hard labour, Mrs. Williams gave svidence—I am a married when sentenced to it, and the Superintendent

(Signed) EDWARD STANHOPE.

CERTAIN CHINESE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE TO . THE ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY. Hongkong, 26th June, 1986. Sir. We have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 986, dated the 23rd

instant, inviting us to express our views on cortain recommendations made by the Commission recently appointed to enquire and report into pertain questions connected with the Gaol. In reply we beg to acquaint you, for the information of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, that we have assembled to gether for the consideration of the subject-matters of your letter above referred to, and after careful of his exclusive privilege, and as often as he deliberation, have unanimously arrived at the shall think fit, but not exceeding five times in

following conclusions :-1.—We cannot altogether agree with the said every person having any Opium in his possession, Commission in the recommendation of Corporal Punishment for simple largeny. We are of opinion that such punishment for such offences is unnecessarily severe. We would, however, strongly recommend Corporal Punishment in the following cases:-

1.) Juvenile Offenders, 16 and under. 2) Old Offenders, having had two previous convictions or more. ) Earring matching and matching things from women and children.

Robbery with Violence, such as garrotting, Extertion and Black-mailing. Intimidation and the sending of threatening letters or messages with the view of hindering the course of justice or the carrying

out of public duties Being found armed with dangerous weapons without sufficient reason and excuss. (8.) Returning from Banishment.

(9.) Armed attack on or forced entry into an dwelling-house, shop, junk, &c. 0.) Piracy.

11.) Indecent Assault. quenes of prisoners to be an effective mode of punishment. With the respectable Chinese the loss of the quane, is considered a disgrace but with the rufflans it is a matter of indifference. And we further oppose this mode of inbefore provided and required to be done by punishment on the following grounds:-(1.) It would prevent criminals from returning

to the mainland opposite, and perforce keep them in Hongkong. against future repentance. 3.) It would facilitate their evading the Night

bly removed by the Government. single instance where it is necessary and

most obedient Lervants. Colonial Secretary, &c., &c., &c.

called by other names.

apshand, and the law does not apprort a woman Mr. Francis (instructed by Mr. Caldwell), ap- | Advt.

THE NEW OPIUM ORDINANCE.

The following is the bill entitled "An Ordinance for the better regulating of the trade i Opium" read a first time at the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday afternoon :--Whereas it is expedient to regulate and

Wong Shu Teng, Wang Yat Shau, and Chan control the movement of Raw Opium within King Po, were charged with printing and pub. the Colony and waters thereof: Be it enacted by lishing an indecent article, on the 8th February the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice of the Logislative Council thereof, as follows:---1,-This Ordinance and the Opium Ordinance of 1884, hereinafter called the principal. Ordi-

nance, shall be construed together as one Ordinance to be called The Opium Ordinances 1884 2 .- Opium in this Ordinance means raw, orude

or unprepared Opium. Chest of Opium means the package, with the

by merchants in the Colony. or things by water.

the waters thereof or receive therein Opinin waters Opium except in whole charts. 4. -No person except the Opium Farmer shall control Opium in quantities less than one chest.

ment do not exceed 6 months. Waster a requisition in the form of Schedule A dealt with according to law. giving the particulars therein required, whereupon the Harbour Mester shall furnish a permit in the form of Schedule B authorising the Opium to be landed and stored, and such permit shall be exhibited at the Opium Farmer's Office, and shall be signed by the Farmer or his Agent, and shall not be used or acted upon mutil it is so

8 .- Every person moving Opium for exportstion shall, before doing so, send to the Harbour Master a requisition in form of Schedule C furnishing the particulars therein required. whereupon the Harbour Master shall grant an export permit in the form of Schedule D authorising the said Opium to be exported, and such permit shall be exhibited at the Opium Farmer's Office, and shall not be used or sated upon until it is so signed

9.-Every person moving Opium from one 3.—On the evidence contained in the papers place to another within the Colony or transhipnow before me, and in view of the strong consensus of opinion on the subject existing in the before doing so, furnish to the Harbour Master shall furnish a permit in the form of Schedule at the Opium Farmer's office and shall be signed 10.-In the event of the arrival at or depar-Opium when the Harbour Office is closed or may The be closed before application for a permit may be made, it shall be lawful for the Agent or the case of adults, or 12 in the case of persons under | Opium without a permit, and to deliver any Opium so landed to the owner or consignees 4 -I approve of the Draft Prison Regulation , thereof, or to keep the same in his or their own

11.-Any person offending against or not complying with any of the provisions of sections 7, 9, 10, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding \$500, and any Opium so imported 6. I conour in the opinion which you have or exported or stored or moved of attempted to expressed and which is shared by the majority of be imported or experted or ex the Gaol Commission, and by the Chinese Just trary to the provisions of the foregoing sections

lation on the subject, so as not to allow the Marks and Government numbers in the case of queues of Chinese sentenced to penal servitude | the Bengal drug shall be given, and such other to be out without special permission of the Go- marks or numbers in the case of other sorts of Fixed deposit .-- With Hongkong and vernor, this being the practice which is followed | Opium as the Harbour Master may require to be placed upon it. Every offence for non-compliance with the

requirements of this section shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding \$200. 13.—No junk or other Chinese craft, whether licensed or not, shall leave the waters of the Colony, unless the safety of the vessel (through stress of weather) shall render it necessary, between the hours of 6 p.m. and 6 s.m. from October to March inclusive, nor between the hours. of 7 p.m. and 5 a.m. from April to September inclusive, under a penalty, on conviction before two Stipendiary Magistrates, not exceeding \$500,

or the forfeiture of junk and cargo. Special Permits or Night Clearances hitherto. grantable under Ordinance 8 of 1879, section 38. sub-sections 8 and 9 shall be no longer allowed. 14.—On the coming into operation of thus Ordinance, every person having in his possession, enstedy, or control any Opium within the Colony or its waters shall furnish to the Harbour Master an account of the number of chests with marks and numbers so held, and the Opium Farmer Shareholders interest:shall be at liberty at any time during the term each calendar month, to demand in writing from custody, or control an account in writing of the Opium so held at the time of such demand, and of the marks and numbers upon the chests con- London committee fees taining the same, and the Opium Farmer of his Directors' and auditors' fees agent shall be at liberty at any time between the Expenses of steamer Sea Guil. hours of six in the morning and six at night, Bad and doubtful debts written of and not oftener than five times in each calendar month, to enter the premises where such Opium Losses account 1885. is stored, and to inspect the same, and any person refusing to give such account, or without Less:reasonable cause shown to permit such entry, or giving a false or incorrect account shall be liable. on conviction, to a penalty not exceeding five

hundred dollarses. 15.-If any Opium is found, on search authorised under this Ordinance, to have been Losses account 1886 imported contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance, or to be missing from the place in which it was stored on importation, or from the place where, according to the permits, it bught to be found stored, the person in whose possession such Opium so imported may To found, or in whose name such Opium so missing shall have been so stored, shall be liable, on conviction, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars for 2.—We do not consider the cutting off of the every chest of Opium which shall be found to have been so imported, or to be so missing. 16 .- If the Opium Farmer thall neglect or

refuse, or shall without sufficient cause unreasonably delay to do any of the acts or things herehim, he shall be liable to a penalty for each such offence not exceeding five hundred dollars. 17.—Every person who shall under the provisions of this Ordinancemake any application or supply any particulars, Return, or Account. or other written Statement required by this Ordinance to be made or supplied, shall sign the pass Ordinance as they could easily then put some himself, unless he be absent from the Colony deira. The hogs there subsist mainly on fruits, on European dress, the prejudice against or unable, from sickness, to attend to business, in having the queue out off baving been forci- which case, the same may be signed by his Agent for him; and it any such apeffectual.—We have the honour to be your in whole or in part, to the knowledge of the people, and an Admiral is credited with leading

person so making or supplying the same, whether in a file of ten.
the same be signed by himself or by his Agent. such person shall, in every case not otherwise. The Swiss are a nation of hotel-keepers. provided for by this Ordinance, be liable on There are in Switzerland 1,060 hotels, containing conviction to a penalty not exceeding One 58,000 beds and employing 16,000 servants. The Douglas Steamship Company Limited—\$46 speak too highly in its praise.—I remain, yours What's in a name? A marriage took place at Thousand Dollars for the first offence, and Two gross income from these hotels is considerably Honolulu recently in which the bridegroom was Thousand for every subsequent offence: and more than the annual budget of the Confeders- Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$125 per called Hart and the bride Love. Doubtless Mr. such Agent shall also and in I ke manner if tion. Hart would have shown as much heart as Miss offending be liable to pensities of the like amount. 18.—Any Justice of the Peace may, by his warrant directed to any Police Officer, not under of Hawaii recently. A large sperm whale was China Sugar Re ning company, Limited \$136

2266 believe that in any such dwelling house, shop, or the whale lost aight of.

other building or place, or on board any such ship is concealed or deposited any Opium subject. by the brutality of her husband, sewed him up to forfeiture under this Ordinance, or as to in the bed clothes one night when he came home which an offence has been committed against drunk, and in the marning went in and thrashed any of the provisions of this Ordinance, and to him vigorously with a broom-handle, after which

concealed, or deposited therein, and of the ship proceedings for divorce. in which the same may be found, and to arrest and take any person, or persons being in such dwelling house, shop, or other building, or place, or on board any such ship, in whose possession, found, or when the said officer may have good and sufficient reason to suspect to have concoaled or deposited therein or thereabouts any such Oplam, and any Officer to whom such warrant shall be directed may, in case of obstruction or resistance, break open any outer or inner doors of such dwelling houses, shop, or other building, or place, and enter thereinto, and forcibly enter such ship, and every part thereof, and reopium therein, such as is usually imported move by force any obstruction to such entry, search, seizure, and removal as aforesaid, and Ship in this Ordinance and in the principal may detain every person found in such place Ordinance shall be construed so as to include until the said place shall have been searched, and any steam vessel, junk, boat, sampan, or any all informations to be laid and all warrants

3.-No porson shall bring into the Colony or on a Sunday as well as on any other day. 19.- Excise Officers duly appointed under the the Judge," you're twice as large and strong as except in whole chests, and no person shall be principal Ordinance shall be deemed to be Ex- he is; why didn't you defend yourself?", " Why permitted to export from the Colony or its cise Officers for the purposes of this Ordinance. Jedge, see hyar; I had a chicken in each hand and shall have the like powers, duties, rights an' what's two raw chickens agin' a club ?" and liabilities with reference to Opium nuder bave in his possession or under his onstody or this Ordinance as they have with reference to prepared Opium under the principal Ordinance. lot of Chinamen to set out trees, the price agreed 20.-It shall be lawful for any Police or Ex upon being only one-third of what some white 5.—It shall be the duty of the Opium Farmer - 20.—It shall be lawful for any Police or Ex-upon being only one-third of what some white to keep a Register of the Opium supplied to him cise Officer to arrest without warrant any person men wanted for the work. He has received and give such details as to its disposal as the within the Colony whom he reasonably suspects notice, however, that if he did not discharge the to be conveying or to have concealed on his per- Chinamen they would be driven off by armed 6. Any person offending against the provi- son any Opinin in contravention of the require- men, and unless he scooled to the demand to

ceeding \$1,000, and the forfeiture of the Opium, 21.—Itshall be lawful for any Inspector of Pomarket is finished in its entirety, when Iresh ar- or in default imprisonment with or without hard lice or an Excise Officer, having reasonable ground : The New York World's Washington corresrangements may be made for the distribution of labour for a period not exceeding 3 months, or for believing that there is Opium in any ship pondent says :- The President has been requestthe Magistrate may or ler a period of imprison- within the waters of the Colony in contraven- ed to act as arbitrator in the settlement between The acquisition of the necessary site having ment with or without hard labour in lieu of a tion of the provisions of this Ordinance (such Nicarague and Costa Rica. These Central been completed only quite recently, and there portion of the fine, provided the whole imprison ship not being a ship of war or vessel having American Republics for more than forty such status) to proceed without warrant on board years have been in contention about their bound-7.—Every person importing into the Colony such ship, and search for such Opium, and seize ary lines. Costs Ries at one time set up a claim | Manile any Opinm shall forthwith report the same to any so found, and it shall be lawful for such In- to part of New Granada, now the United States in a position to submit their recommendation the Harbour Master giving the number of chests, spector to take the Opium so found, together of Colombia, but the controversy was sattled by

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED. The following is the report for presentation at the sixteenth ordinary meeting of sharehelders, to be held at the head office of the Company at Hongkong, on Thursday next, the 24th March, at 12 o'clock noon:-

In submitting to the shareholders a statement accounts for 1836, the directors are pleased to be able to report a continued increase in the earnings of the company, the net premia for the year amounting to \$340,193.94 and the balance of working account to Additional lesses have since been reported to the

smount of \$45,000. The directors now propose to pay 5 per cent. interest for the half year, which will absorb \$15,000 and to leave the remainder of the balance to be dealt with on the expiration of current risks. The Hon. C. P. Chater and Mr. Fung Tang retire

in rotation and are elegible for re-election. The directors have much pleasure in recommending the re-election of Mr. L. Hauschild and Mr. Thos. H. Foss, Chairman.

BALAROE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1886. In current account with Hongkong and Shanghai Bank ..... London agency: In current account with Hongkong and Shanghai 65 bonds Chinase 7 per cent.

loan 1685 series A ...... 7,486. 5. 0 13 bonds Chinese 6 per cent. -loan 1835. . . . . . . . . . . 1,454. 9.11 2 bonds Japanese 7 per cent. . 1,128,15,11 loan 1878 Fixed deposits with Hongkong an i Shanghai Bank 4,203. 2. 6 £20,132. 9. 7 A+3/4 \$120,794.86 33 bonds Chinese 8 per cent.

equrities in Hongkong :--276 bonds Chinece 8 per cent. loans ...... \$147,472.09 192 bonds Chinese 7 per cent. Ioan Share in North-China Insurance Company, Limited ...

Shanghai Bank, Hongkong
Mortgago: —On property in Hongkong
Share of steamer Set Gull Office furniture —At head office Stamps :—On hand in London & Hongkong Accounts receivable:
Outstanding premis, head office \$9,397.80 Interest accorned to date ...... 9,529.31

Due from agencies, 20. ....... 48,688.56

\$492,041.59 \$300,000.00 Capital ..... 28,711.50 Reserve fund..... Accounts payable :--Uncollected interest warrants.\$ 792.00 --Sundry amounts due ........... 36,826,80 125,771.29 Salance of working account \$492,041,59 WORKING ACCOUNT. Interest to December 31st, 1885 \$9,000.00

Interest to June 80th, 1886 ... 9,000.00 Hongkong office expenses and salaries ..... London office expenses and salaries ....... English branch office expenses ...... 3.40v.00 Losses account 1881 Losses account 1882 87,418,17 \$87,583,02 Amounts, recovered for 1888..... Amounts recovered for 1834...

Balanco ..... Balance brought forward from 1835 ..... Premia account :---At head office and agencies ... \$489,036.39 Less :- Reinsurance and return premia ... Interest account .... Interest warrants lapsed under clause No.98

OLLA PODRIDA-Princo Edward's Island is prolific of lobsters. It is estimated that 35,000,000 of these fish were taken there last season. The sweetest and best-flavoured pork in the world, it is said, is produced on the island of Ma-

nuts, grass and roots. At the recent ball at the Chinese Legation in Hongkong, and Whampon. Dock Company's plication, particulars, Return, Account, or other Washington one Confressman took five women

The whaler Lydia had an adventure off the island BYWATER, TANQUERAY & Co. (late Bywater | the rank of a Sorgeant, empower him by day or | harpooned, and while the monster was in rapid Perry & Co.) are agents for Residents abroad, by night to enter and search any dwelling house, motion the line parted. Four boats were in wait. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$58. Missionaries, Chaplains, &c, in every part of the shop, or other building or place, or any ship not ing for the re-appearance of the whale, which per share says he is prepared to allow it. How much do shot by him, on the 13th inst., came before the world. Goods and Outsits supplied at Whole- being a man-of-war or ship having such status, rose directly beneath the Chief Officer's boat, Hongkong 1co Company's Several of my costomers speak of world. sale prices. Shipping and passages arranged, lying or being within the waters of the Colony, with telling effect. The boat, in splinters, was Banking in all its branches. Full descriptive in any case in which it shall appear to such sent heavenward, while the officer and crew were Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited than from any other medicine. In some instances my claim. He said he could not do anything plied for a remand, on the ground that he was Catalogue post free. Offices:-79, Queen Justice of the Peace, upon the cath of any scattered about in the water. The struggling Victoria Street, London. 2,000 References. person, that there is good and sufficient cause to sailors were picked up by the other boats, and Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company respectfully,

take possession of any such Opium found to be she betook herself to her parents and has begun

for collecting the cones of the white or spunce are then sent to France, Germany and other have been out down. Each bushel of comes yields about two pounds of : d.

According to 'm dof Las Lauss, a small town Sust south . . . . . . Cuba, there are eleven persons there who are over one hundred. years of age. They are all women. The oldest s one hundred and eleven years, the next one hundred and ten years, the third one hundred hundred and one years."

A negro in Alabama was brought up for stealing a pair of chickens, but declared, selemnly, kind of graft used for conveyance of persons to be issued, and all arrests and seizures to be that he "didn't stool dem ar fowls," declaring made under this Ordinance, may be had or done on the other hand, that the complainant had beaten him brutally with a club. "But," said

A fruit-grower near Nevada City has hired gions of Sections 3 and 4, shall, on conviction | ments of this Ordinanc and to take him before | employ white men on the work, blood would flow

and shall, before landing such Opium or any part with the person in whose custody, possession or treaty in 1857. Several attempts have been thereof, send or cause to be sent to the Harbour control it is found, before a Magistrate, to be made by Nicaragan to get a settlement of the dispute with Costs Rice, but no agreement could be reached in determining the mode of submission until a proposition was recently made to refer the dispute to President Cleveland, who has indicated his willingness to accept the trust. The boundary controversy is somewhat important at this juncture, while the Nicaragua Canal project is pending in the Senate.

> peculiarity in connection with Mms. Patti's toilet has been revealed, says the New York Mail and Express. It appears that when the diva goes to her bath, which she takes about 5 o'clock on the evenings she is to sing, she never allows the water to touch her neck and face, although the rest of her body is religiously immersed. She has a singular theory that hot or cold water produces wrinkles, and it is certainly some sort of proof that her theory is correct that, in spite of being considerably over forty years of age, there is not a wrinkle visible upon her neck, throat or face. Of course she insists that she keeps equally clean by means of cold cream, which she uses in copious quantities, generally spreading it on her soo and neck, and leaving it there while her maid goes through the hair-dressing process, often a period of an hour or so. Then the cold cream is taken off very carefully with a towal, and Mme. Patti considers herself washed.

The Buence Avres Standard of December 24th has a number of dispatches from Mendoza | Porce of wind ...... and other places which equal in horzor anything that came to us from Marseilles while the cholera plague was there, not long since. The following specimen shows the situation is far more borri ble than it is believed to be, and is too awful for description :- "The poorer classes are being swept away. The victims perish after six hours of most fearful suffering. The lagaretto is morecrowded with corpses than with patients. The streets are noisy with hearses and carts laden with dead bodies, which pass and repass the whole duy. The sight would drive a man mad. Blind terror is everywhere to be seen. On Wednesday there were sixty esses, twentysix proving fatal immediately. Yesterday there. were fifty cases in one section alone, and thirty were fatal Up to 10 o'clock this morning there were twenty-two fatal cases, and to-day, heaven, help us! half the po lation will probably be riped out. No adu nent, no reward can secure the servi dot en one man to bury the dead. The corpse . vain outside every crowded cometery, unburied. In despair the Govern- Austria, lives Maria Haus, an intelligent and ment has thrown open the doors of the position- industrious woman, whose story of physical tiary, promising the eximinal inmates a pardonon condition that they bury the dead."

COMMERCIAL INTRILLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, 18th March. EXPORT CARGO. Por steamship Telamon, sailed on the 17 March :- For London-57,708 lbs. scented caper 12 packages waste silk, and 12 packages sundries.

OPIUM. Quotations are:— ..\$525 per picul, allos. lew Malwa..... 3 to 5 cattles 3550 per picul, alice. of 24 to 34 catties. Older Malwa. Patna (New) ........\$5221 Benares (New) ..... 490 to \$4921 ..... EXCHANGE.

On London.— Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ......3/14 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 3/24 Credits at 4 months sight ....... 3.21 Documentary Bills, at 4 month. Bank Bills, on demand .............397 Credits, at 4 months sight ......4.07 ON NEW YORK. Bank Bills, on demand......761 BOMBAY. ON CALGUTTA. Telegraphic Transfer -......218; Bank, on demand ......2201 ON SHANGHAL-Bank, at sight ......714 

MHARES. Quotations are :-Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-147 per cent. premium, ex div. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$85 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Sheres-\$65 per share, sellers.

North China Insurance-Tls. 285 per share. Yangteze Insurance Association-Tls. 110 per have an attendant to watch by her. There was Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-\$220 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited---I Canton Insurance Office. Limited-\$75 per

\$4224 per share, sales. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$87 Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited-Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-

Shares-116 per cent. prem. Statement shall be false or incorrect, either besides his wife, a Soultermarshalledseven extra Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares \$87 per cent. prem. Indo China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shures-. 10 per cent discount. -30 per cent. discount, nominal.

per share.

Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares \$190 per oper share, ex div.

--- \$20 per share.

A French woman, who had become infuriated | Punjom and Sunghie Dun Samantan Mining Company, Limited -313 per share, sellers. Porak Sugar Cultivation Company-Th. 18 per

> Houghoup Rone Manufacturing Company, Li-· mited—\$45 per share. Hongking and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., Limited -60 per cent. discount.

A new industry has been started in Vermont | A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-32 per cont premium. pines and extracting the seeds from them, which | Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited 30 per cent. prem. parts of Europe, to renew the forests there that | Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$22 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 A-2 per cent.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-6 per cent Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-8 per cent Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-54 per cent. promium, sales. and three vers, and the other eight are one | Chinese Imperial Government 1885 Dollar Loan -3 per cent. premium.

HONGKONG . TEMPERATURE.

(FROM MESSES, PALCONES & Co.'s RESTORES.) March 18th. Barometer-4 P.M. ...... 1070 Thermometer-1 F.M...... Thesmometer-1. W. Thermometer-1 F.M. (Wet build)\_\_\_\_\_.65 Thermometer-4r.m. (Wet.bulb)

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICA

Thermometer-Maximum

29,82 90. 41 29,96 68 87 23,93 81 95 24.32 16th Murch, 1887, at 10 a.m.

The Barometer is falling over Luzon but has risen along temperature is rather low, the humidity mederate, and the weather overcast. W. DOBERCE

Hongkong Observatory, 18th March, 1887

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Previous On date On date at 10 a.m. at 4 p.m. emperature ...... BANGUETER reduced to 32 degrees Fubrenheit and to

2. -Temperature in the shade in degrees Pahrenheit. 4. Dianction of the West to two points. 5.- FORCE OF THE WIND according to Boanfort Scale 8. - State of the Wastling: B. blue sky; O. delached clouds; D. drissling rain; F. fog, O. gloomy, H. ball; L. light-

ring; O. overcest: P. passin showers (2, squally; R. casa; 3, snow; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. dew (wet). 7.- Rary in inches, tenths and hundredths W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 18th March, 1887.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS AND

GRATITUDE.

'A VOICE FROM AUSTRIA. Near the village of Zillingdorf, in Lower suffering and filialtrelief, as related by herself, i

of interest to English women. "I was employed. she says, "in the work of a large farmhouse, Overwork brought on sick headache, followed by a deathly fainting and sickness of the stomach: until I was unable to retain either food or drink. I was compelled to take to my bed for several weeks. Getting a little better from rest and quiet, I sought to do some work, but was soon taken with a pain in my side, which it a little while seemed to spread over my whole body, and throbbed in; my every limb. This was followed by a cough and shortness of breath, until finally I could not sew, and I took to my bed for the second, and, as I thought, for the last time. My friends told me that my time had nearly come. and that I could not live longer than when the trees put on their green once more. Then I happened to get one of the Seigel pamphlets. 112 to 2 cattles, read it, and my dear mother bought me a bottle of Seigel's Syrup, which I took exactly accounding to directions, and I had not taken the whole of it before I felt a great change for the better. My last illness began June 3rd, 1882, and continued to August 9th, when I began to take. the Syrup. Very soon I could do a little work. The cough left me, and I was no more troubled in breathing. Now I am perfectly cured. And oh, how happy I am! I cannot express gratitude abough for Seigel's Syrup. Now I must tell you that the doctors in our district distributed handbills cautioning people against the medicine, telling them it would do tham no good, and many were thereby influenced to destroy the Saigel pamphlets; but now, wherever one is to be found; it is kept like a relic. The few preserved are borrowed to read, and I have lent mine for six miles around our district. People have come eighteen miles to get me to buy the medicine for them, knowing that it cured me. and to be sure to get the right kind. I know a woman who was looking like death, and who told them there was no help for her, that she had consulted several doctors, but none could help her. I told her of Seigel's Syrup, and wrote the name down for her that she might make no mistake. She took my advice and the Syrup, and now she is in perfect health, and the people around us are amazed. The medicine has made such progress in our neighbourhood that people say they don't want the doctor any more, but they take the Syrup. 'Sufferers from gout who were confined to their bed and could hardly move a finger, have been cured by it. There is a girl

in our district who caught a cold by going through some water, and was in bed five years with costiveness and rheumatic pains, and had to not a doctor in the surrounding districts to whom her mother had not applied to relieve her child. but every one crossed themselves and said they could not help hor. Whenever the little bell rang which is rung in our place when somebody is dead, we thought surely it was for her, but Seigel's Syrup and Pills saved her life, and now she is as healthy as anybody, goes to church, and can work even in the fields. Everybody was astonished when they saw her out, knowing how many years she had been in bed. To-day she adds her gratitude to mine for God's mercies and Seigel's Syrup." -

MARIA HAAS. The people of England speak confirming the

AFTER SEVERAL YEARS. " Stoke Forry, January 9th, 1884. "Gentlemen.—I have used Seigel's Syrup for several years, and have found it a most efficacious China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited remedy for Liver complaints and general debility, and I always keep some by me, and cannot

"Harriett King."

THE EF. ECTS HAVE BEEN WONDERFUL. "Hford Road Dispensary, Dukinfield, May 3rd, 1884. "Dear Sir,-I am happy to inform you that the sale of your Syrup and Pills increases here

" Pro. Edwin Eastwood. J. 1 2170-1

INSURANCES.	BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.	Vrša <sub>k</sub>
NOTICE.	T TENIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT.	DESTINATION VESSEL'S N
Q UEEN FIRE INSURANCE	Invaluable for India, as an efficient tonic in all cases	there is not a compart for the registered of the following the
The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com-		LONDON, &c., VIA SUEZ, CANAL   Coromandel (c., LONDON VIA SUNZ CANAL Antenor (str.)
FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at a per Cent. Nett pre-		LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL Glenry (str.) LONDON AND HAMBURG Sarah Higne
TO THE THE MAKE IN THE TAKE IN	Soups, Made Dishes and Sauces.	HAVRE AND LONDON Fifeshire LONDON Eme
Hongkong, 20th May, 1881. [60] AMIGABLE INSURANCE OFFICE,	Gonuine only with the fac-simile of Baron Liebig's Signature in Blue Ink across Label.	HAMBURG MARSEILLES VIA SAIGON, &c. Oxus (str.)
LIMITED. (OF CALCUTTA).	LIEBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT.  To be had of all Storekeepers and Dealers throughou	BREMEN, & PORTS of CALL Braunschweig BREMEN, & PORTS of CALL Bayern (str.)
FUIE Undersigned are prepared to GRANT	India.	GENOA, & PORTS of CALL Bormida (str. SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y'HAMA City of Sydno
Current Rates.	Cookery books post-free-on-application to the Company.	SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y'HAMA Oceanic (str.) SAN FRANCISCO
GIBB, LIVING TON & Co., Agents.	LIEBIG'S EXTRACT OF MEAT CO., LD.	SAN FRANCISCO State of Mai NEW YORK Edward Kid NEW YORK Professor Me
Hongkong, 27th September, 1886. [17] THE LONDON ASSURANCE	FOR the worst form of YELLOW, SCARLET, JUNGLE, and other FEVERS, PRICKLY	VICTORIA, (V.I.) Enos Soule PORTLAND (OREGON) Coloma
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS	HEAT, SMALL POX, MEASLES, ERUPTIVE or SKIN COMPLAINTS, and various other altered	HONOLULU Mercury Mercury Glamorganshi
MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST.  A.D. 1720	CONDITIONS of the BLOOD, the GREAT REMEDY	YOKOHAMA AND KOBE Benlawers (st YOKOHAMA, KOBE, &c. General Work
THE Undersigned having been appointed	"for the Fever had obtained a strong hold on mo. In	NAGASAKI, KOBE, &c Lombardy(st SYDNEY & MELBOURNE Sikh (str.)
Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—	"a few days I was quite well."—C. Fitzgerald, Esq., Correspondent of the Manchester Guardian in Albania.	SYDNEY & MELBOURNE Gutbrie (str. CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN Chefoo (str.)
MARINE DEPARTMENT Policies at current rates, payable either here,	FOR THIRST, HEADACHE, SEA OF BILIOUS SICKNESS, CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, LASSITUDE, HEART-	CHEFOO & NEWCHWANG Whampon (str. Ningpo (str.
In London, or at the principal Forts of India, China, and Australia.	EAMPLOUGH'S PYRETIC SALINE	SHANGHAI Cathay (str.) SHANGHAI Eayern (str.)
FIRE DEPARTMENT	MOST REPRESHING TO THE SYSTEM, COOLING AND VITALIZING THE BLOOD	MANILA VIA AMOY Zaliro(str.)
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Hongkong, 26th July, 1872.	Dr. J. W. Dowerno wrote —"I used it in the treat.	TO LET.
THE LATEST ADVANCE IN LIFE INSURANCE.	ment of 42 cases of Yellow Fever, and am happy to state I never lost a single case," [237	HE GODOWN known as No. 3, BLUE
THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S	"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE."  LAHKE'S WORLDFAMED	Apply to S. DAMESON POLITY CO.
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Hongkong, 18th January, 1887.	Cures Blood and Skin Diseases. Cures Glandular Swellings. Clears the Blood from all impure matter.	Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.
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